

THRIFT PLEDGE.
Because I am a loyal American, because my country needs my help, because what I save will help me and what is saved in America will help the whole world, I promise to live economy and save all that can be set aside regularly from the portion of what I earn and hand it to my Government by investing it in War Savings Stamps.

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TEACHERS FIND NO TROUBLE GETTING ROOM AND BOARD

Many Housewives Manifest Willingness to Take Instructors for \$30 a Month—Teachers Are Assigned to Various Schools in City—Pupils Will Report Monday.

Practically all of the teachers of the Vernon city schools have secured room and board. Within the last few days a number of rooms have been offered at reasonable prices Superintendent B. F. Sisk advises, and the trouble anticipated in the matter of locating the instructors has been largely averted.

Teachers are obtaining board and room for \$30 a month—the price asked by one or two for the room, alone. A number of housewives have phoned Mr. Sisk, asking that he send them roomers and have been promptly advised by him that the instructors were finding a sufficiency of places at a reasonable figure. "The result is that the high priced rooms are still vacant," said Mr. Sisk.

The superintendent thoroughly appreciates the spirit being evidenced by householders in attending to the locating the teachers.

While the assignment of the instructors to the several buildings has not been definitely determined, the following is the tentative assignments as given out by Mr. Sisk.

High School—J. T. H. Bickley, principal and science; Miss Blanche Groves, mathematics; Miss Pearl Russell, Latin; Miss Mabel Rockett, English; Miss Ethel Hatchet, history; Miss Jessie Hickman, commercial subjects.

Shive School—Will Brumabow, principal and 7th grade; Miss Florence Womack, 6th grade; Miss Allie Reese, 5th grade; Mrs. Delta Houssell, 4th grade; Miss Bertie Lee Burkhalter, 3rd grade; Miss Roselyn Baird, 3rd grade; Miss Lora Long, 2nd grade; Miss Floy Tacker, 1st grade.

Central School—Knox Kinar, principal and 7th grade; Miss Myrtle McKinney, 6th grade; Miss Minnie Turner, 5th grade; Miss Flossie Green, 4th grade; Miss Flossie Green, 3rd grade; Miss Lizzie Wines, 3rd grade; Miss Carrie Brattin, 2nd grade; Miss Alice McLarry, 1st grade.

East Ward—D. M. Hooper, principal, 3rd and 4th grades; Miss Florence Thompson, 2nd grade; Miss Susie Scott, 1st grade.

The city schools open next Monday and all pupils are urged to be present at their ward buildings.

OKLAHOMAN TO FILL PULPIT.

W. L. Thornton of El Reno Will Fill Pulpit Morning and Evening at Christian Church Next Sunday.

Rev. W. L. Thornton of El Reno, Okla., will preach at both the morning and evening services at the Central Christian Church Sunday. He has been holding revival meetings at Haskell and Spur and will stop over in Vernon en route home.

Rev. Thornton is a young man and reputed to be one of the ablest speakers in Oklahoma. The officers of the church are especially anxious that he be given a good hearing. "We want all of the backsliding brethren and sisters to be present and hear what he has to say," is the way one of the officers expressed the invitation.

M. S. Swinburn Trades Farm.

M. S. Swinburn has traded his farm of 200 acres southwest of Tolbert to Mrs. L. A. Jones for her place located west of Tolbert. The place he traded for contained 127.7 acres. The value placed on Mr. Swinburn's place was \$72, while Mrs. Jones' farm was valued at \$100 an acre. Mr. Swinburn will move some time within the next few months. The transaction was handled by Richardson & Thompson.

Trevathan's Moving to Wichita.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Trevathan and children are in Vernon getting their household goods ready to ship to Wichita Falls. Mr. Trevathan was in the grocery business, and closed out his stock June 1. Since that time he has been making investments in oil with Wichita Falls as headquarters. His household goods were still here.

RECORDS OF CLUB MEMBERS COUNT IN AWARDING PRIZES

County Agent Calls Attention to Importance of Report and Story of "How I Made My Crop"—Wants Boys to Go After Community Prize at State Fair.

Members of the boys' agricultural club of Wilbarger county, who anticipate trying for prizes at the county or State Fair, are urged by County Agent N. R. Tisdal to prepare their crop records as soon as possible. Some of the boys have already finished their record and others are coming to him for assistance in the matter. He is more than willing to help the boys, he said, and reminds the members that the report should be closed up within the next few days.

Mr. Tisdal calls attention to the fact that the crop report, together with a story entitled "How I Made My Crop" counts 20 per cent toward the prize. The other considerations are: best showing of profit, 30 per cent; greatest yield per acre, 30 per cent; best exhibit, 20 per cent.

Prizes are offered to the club members on the best ten ears of corn or the best ten heads of milo, Kaffir, feterita or the best peck of peanuts.

The boys winning prizes in the County Fair will be given a trip to the State Fair in Dallas and their exhibits will represent the county in the state exposition. The expenses to and from Dallas will be by courtesy of County Commissioner C. L. Greene and the Fair Association will be host during the stay in Dallas. The prize winners of the girls' clubs are included in Mr. Greene's offer.

A "Community prize" is offered at the State Fair for the best ten exhibits of any article, and Mr. Tisdal is anxious that some boy will take it upon himself to get ten boys in his neighborhood interested in this award. The prize will be a silk banner with appropriate inscription.

FARMERS VALLEY COUPLE WED.

Rev. R. V. Tooley Performs Nuptial Rites for Leonard Ball And Miss Mattie Frost.

Leonard A. Ball and Miss Mattie Ethel Frost were married Sunday afternoon at the home of the bride's parents in Farmers Valley. Rev. R. V. Tooley performed the ceremony.

The bride is a daughter of T. C. Frost, and has been practically raised in the community where she now lives.

Mr. Ball has also lived in this county nearly all of his life. Both are very popular with a host of friends, many of whom were present at the wedding.

After the ceremony refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Ball will make their home in the Farmers Valley community, where he is a prosperous young farmer. The Record joins friends in congratulations and best wishes.

ROUSE PUBLICITY MANAGER.

Pastor of Local Church Appointed to Help in Drive by Baptists for \$75,000,000.

Rev. W. T. Rouse has been named publicity manager for this district of the Baptist \$75,000,000 Campaign. Plans for the work will be outlined at the Association meeting in Odell this month.

Wilbarger county has been asked to pledge \$90,000 to be paid during the next five years. This is an average of nearly \$50 for each member of the Baptist Church, and is nearly four times as much as the average is for the entire Southern Baptist Church.

Neal-Hamilton Gets More Machinery.

A large boiler and engine to be used in drilling the Neal-Hamilton well near Doans arrived Friday and is being hauled to the location. The well was spudded in about three weeks ago and the larger boiler and engine is being installed in order that the work may be hastened.

McLarty to Gray County Ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. McLarty and sons, Frank and Shirley, left yesterday for their ranch in Gray county.

They are making the trip in an automobile.

Mr. and Mrs. McLarty and their sons spent Sunday in Electra.

VERNON, WILBARGER COUNTY, TEXAS, SEPT. 2, 1919

GENERAL DICKMAN AND COMMITTEE OF THREE



NEW SECRETARY OF COMMERCIAL CLUB IS TENNESSEE MAN

C. M. Murray, Formerly Cashier of Vernon Cotton Oil Company, Will Take Up Work Here About September 10—Served as Lieutenant of Marines in World War.

C. M. Murray, formerly cashier of the Vernon Cotton Oil Company of this city, will become secretary of the Chamber of Commerce to succeed J. D. Parnell. Mr. Murray is now at his home in Jackson, Tenn., having recently been discharged from the Marine Corps. He served during the war as lieutenant of Marines.

Mr. Murray is expected to arrive in Vernon about September 10th to begin his work with the local organization. The directors last week voted unanimously to tender him the place. Daniel Bond, the president, took the matter up with him and received his acceptance by wire Saturday.

The new secretary is one of the most popular men who ever lived in Vernon. He was cashier of the Vernon Cotton Oil Company about four years and was highly esteemed in local business circles. That he is to return to Vernon and be secretary of the Chamber of Commerce will be good news to his numerous friends here.

SAYS ROADS IN EAST TEXAS BAD.

Highways Are Almost Impassable Near Troup and Bonham, Says Rev. S. H. Holmes.

Rev. S. H. Holmes returned Friday from a trip to Troup, where he and Mrs. Holmes had been to visit their daughter, Mrs. Chas. Pace. He made the trip there and back in a car, leaving here about a week ago.

Mrs. Holmes has been gone almost a month. She returned from Dallas on the train that she could not stand the automobile trip.

Rev. Holmes says that the roads in that section of the state are in a bad condition and heavy rains during the last week or so have rendered them almost impassable. The highways are worse near Bonham, Troup and in that section but they are very bad as far up this way as Decatur.

HARROLD SCHOOL BEGINS 8TH.

Five Teachers Employed in New Independent District—Much Wheat Yet to Move.

R. M. Holt, superintendent of the Harrold Independent School District, announces that school will begin at Harrold Monday. The district has just changed from a rural school to an independent district.

Mr. Holt's assistants will be Misses Ivy Cocke, Ruby Martin, Daisy Moody, and Esther Sorenson. Miss Cocke is the only member of the faculty who taught at Harrold last year. Miss Moody is a Harrold girl, Miss Martin comes from Wichita Falls, and Miss Sorenson from Wheeler.

W. A. TAPP Sells Farm.

E. R. Thompson, who resides on one of H. B. Judd's places in the East Vernon country, has bought a farm from W. A. Tapp, located south of Vernon and will take possession of same January 1. The farm contains 150 acres and the consideration was \$70 per acre. The transaction was negotiated by Richardson & Thompson.

Good Crops Around Shamrock.

Rev. W. T. Rouse, pastor of the First Baptist Church in Vernon, has returned from Shamrock, where he held a series of services. "We had a good meeting," Rev. Rouse says. "The people there have had ample rain and are harvesting abundant crops. They are a delightful people."

Souris Bros. Buy Home.

Dr. E. H. Cowan has sold his residence on South Main street to G. E. and G. D. Souris of the Candyland. They will occupy the property as a home. J. R. Jones transacted the deal.

Jones County Crops Are Good.

Will Teach at Electra.

Miss Mabel Livingston has accepted a position as teacher of English in the Electra schools. She was a teacher in the schools at Claude last year.

Murphy Buys Two Places.

Elaine Wilson and L. E. Key have sold two residences located on West Wanderer Street to B. W. Murphy. Mr. Murphy is buying the property as an investment.

MATERIAL FOR USE IN CONCRETE ROAD WORK IS APPROVED

Government Engineer O. K.'s Supply Available for Paving Vernon-Oklahoma Highway—Construction Will Begin as Soon as Details Are Disposed of—Contractor Is Here.

H. K. McCollum of Fort Worth was in Vernon Friday to close the contract with the county for the paving of the Vernon-Oklahoma highway. Mr. McCollum was awarded the contract by the County Commissioners several weeks ago and accepted on certain conditions. One of the contingencies was dependent upon whether or not the material available for concrete paving would be accepted by the government engineer. The office at Dallas has approved the material, samples of which had been sent there for analysis, and Mr. McCollum will proceed with the work.

Work will commence on this paving as soon as preliminary details can be disposed of, probably some time this month. The Fort Worth man also has a contract for the city paving and has a car of machinery on the track here in preparation for beginning work on this contract within a very few days.

Bids were on monolithic brick, fiber brick with concrete base, sand cushion and bituminous coating as well as concrete. It was thought probable that the brick would have to be used on account of the scarcity of concrete material. Concrete was preferred however, inasmuch as the city had chosen that material and East Wilbarger is to be paved jointly by the city and the county.

Mr. McCollum's bid on concrete work is \$325 within the city limits and \$362 outside of the city limits, due to longer haul and the cost of excavating outside the limits of Vernon.

INJURED PLAYING BASEBALL.

Charles McDonald, Third Baseman for Nashville, Is Son-in-Law of Vernon Man.

Charles McDonald, third baseman for the Nashville club in the Southern Association, was put out of the game Saturday as a result of being spiked in a game with Little Rock. Mr. McDonald has the second best batting record in the Southern Association.

The injured player is a son-in-law of J. H. Carson of Vernon, and is well known here. He played with the Vernon team at one time, and later was one of the most popular players with the Dallas club in the Texas League.

BONHAM REGRETS TO LOSE PASTOR MOVING TO VERNON.

Elder Tom Walker will leave Friday for Vernon, where he has accepted the pastorate of the Church of Christ, says the Bonham Daily Favorite, and continues:

"Elder Walker has been pastor of the Church of Christ in Bonham for the past seven years and during that time has increased the membership by some two hundred and his work both here and among the people over this part of the state where he has been holding meetings has been very satisfactory. He has been chaplain of the Bonham Fire Department for two years and will be missed by that organization. He was also a valued member of the Board of Trade, and his presence will also be missed by the organization. His family will remain here until next week some time when they will join him in their new home. It is with regret that Bonham loses Elder Walker and his excellent family, but we wish them every success in their new field."

Elder Walker is expected in Vernon this week to take up his work.

Wade Perkins to Chillicothe.

Wade Perkins has resigned his position with the milling company in Plainview and moved to Chillicothe, where he will engage in the painting business. Wade is thinking of moving back to Vernon in the near future.

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More's

TODAY.

IT'S HERE!

SESSUE HAYAKAWA

in

"HEART IN PAWN."

You tried twice before to see this picture, but failed. Don't miss it today. Also good LYON-MORAN COMEDY.

Sessue Hayakawa.
Haworth-Mutual.

WEDNESDAY—ATTRACTION EXTRAORDINARY

FIRST BRENTWOOD

all-star cast production

"THE TURN OF THE ROAD."

Claimed by critics the greatest picture ever made. Does not feature any star but does contain the sweetest, cleanest story ever told. Also GOOD COMEDY.

FRIDAY.

Paramount Arcraft Special

"THE DARK STAR"

featuring MARION DAVIES.

The Best Show Always at More's.

At the Theaters

More's.

Today, Tuesday—Wm. S. Hart in his latest picture "Square Deal Sander son." It is useless to say more than that Bill Hart will appear, to assure every one having a good time. In addition to Hart, a funny, two-reel comedy, "Lions and Ladies," will be shown.

Saturday—Priscilla Dean will appear in the "Exquisite Thief," her latest picture for the Universal Company. Miss Dean has made a name for herself in female crook stories and this picture is one of the type she plays best. Also a two-reel Big V. Comedy will be shown.

Monday—Paramount Arcraft special production, "The Career of Katherine Bush." Also show the one-reel current event subject that has become popular each Monday.

Pictorium.

Thursday—Francis X. Bushman and Beverly Bayne in "Daring Hearts," Hugh Brown, an American on an auto trip, is caught at the chateau of Louise De Villars in Alsace at the outbreak of the war. He reaches France and joins the Lafayette Esquadille. Four years later, a major with 57 enemy planes to his credit, he is forced to land behind the German lines. News of his capture is printed in Alstamian papers and Louise resolves to aid Hugh's escape. Hugh is followed by German troops and caught in Louise's bedroom. The fortunes of war pass repeatedly from one side to the other and at last Hugh is made a prisoner. Through clever ruse, Louise secures his release and the two escape in a hay wagon, reaching France on the day that the armistice is signed.

ANDERSON EXPECTS WIFE AND CHILDREN FROM CALIFORNIA

L. M. Anderson is in receipt of a letter from Mrs. Anderson, with her children, are visiting relatives in California, advising that her father has been stricken with paralysis. He is at Charter Oak, Calif., and is said to be in a serious condition.

Mrs. Anderson and children were due to arrive home Sunday morning but were tied up by the trainmen's strike, which practically paralyzed traffic in Southern California for some time. The men are returning to their posts now, however, and conditions are returning to normal, according to the daily press.

The letter received this morning was the first word received by Mr. Anderson from his family for about two weeks. He is expecting a message announcing that they have started for home.

Raymond Dorsey of Wichita Falls is visiting friends in Vernon. Raymond formerly lived here.

Mrs. Reed Smith returned Monday from Cleburne where she has been visiting relatives.

J. A. McGuffey returned Sunday from Mineral Wells, where he had been for several days on a vacation. He reports that city has, as a summer resort, had the greatest season it has enjoyed for many years.

Mrs. L. D. Terrell is visiting relatives in Honey Grove. She was accompanied home by Miss Edith Cravens and W. O. Cravens, who had been visiting in her home several weeks. Mr. Cravens has recently returned from overseas service in the army.

NEFF MAY TALK AT LOCAL INSTITUTE**WACO LAWYER, CANDIDATE FOR GOVERNOR, INVITED TO COME HERE.**

The joint institute being held by the teachers of the rural schools of Wilbarger county and the instructors of the Vernon city schools opened yesterday with an attendance of about eighty-five. The teachers are taking pains in preparing their part on the program and splendid spirit and interest is being displayed, according to County Superintendent J. N. Fulcher.

Will Brumbalow, principal of the Shive school, is in communication with Pat Neff of Waco in an effort to have him address the institute some time before the close of the program. Mr. Brumbalow extended to Mr. Neff an invitation several days ago while in Waco, obtaining the promise that it would be accepted if he could arrange his business so he could spare the time. The Waco lawyer is candidate for governor in the next election. In the event the invitation is accepted the date will be announced.

The Drawing Company has advised that they will be unable to send a representative to give the address on "Practical Drawing in All the Grades," which was scheduled for Thursday afternoon. Mr. Fulcher has been advised, also, that it will be impossible for a representative of the Red Cross to be present to discuss "Practical Hygiene for Children," which was on the program for this afternoon. The subject will be discussed by some capable person, however.

The institute closes Saturday and a number of the rural schools will open Monday, especially the eight and nine months' schools. Others will not open until later in the season, permitting the children to assist in the gathering of the crops.

John Nabers went to Dallas Saturday to spend several days on business.

Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Martin of Knox county, visited their sons, W. N. and Ellis Martin, Saturday and Sunday.

Cecil Red returned Thursday night from Wortham, where he has been visiting his parents.

B. F. Adkisson returned Friday from a visit in Fort Worth, Dallas, Oklahoma City and Chickasha, Okla.

Many Like This in Vernon**Similar Cases Being Published In Each Issue.**

The following case is but one of many occurring daily in Vernon. It is an easy matter to verify it. You cannot ask for better proof.

Noah Elgin, runs boarding house, 509 N. Bowie Street, Vernon, says:

"Some years ago my back and kidneys caused me much misery. My back ached and pained most all the time and was so sore and lame mornings when I got up that I could hardly straighten. There was a dull, steady bearing down pain in my back and when I stooped over sharp pains would catch me. My kidneys were in bad shape, irregular in action and bothered me greatly at night. I was advised to use Doan's Kidney Pills. I used two boxes of this medicine and they put me in fine shape."

Price 60¢ at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Elgin had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

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OFFICE SUPPLIES

We have listed below some of the line of office supplies which we are specializing on. They are the things the office man needs and the prices are right.

Separate desk pins.
Pen holders and pen racks.
Ink stands—good assortment.
Ring paper clips—assorted sizes.
O. K. Paper fasteners.
Typewriter ribbons.
Typewriter paper.
Ink erasers—liquid and rubber.
Waste baskets.
Wire letter trays in sections.
Rulers.
Rubber bands.
Pens.
Paste.

T. M. Ferguson Drug Co.

John Jokel and John Jurak went to Schulenburg Friday to visit the latter's brother, Fred Jurak.

Mrs. Minnie K. Byrd returned Sunday from an extended vacation in Colorado.

Mrs. J. Q. Lyon returned Monday night from Colorado and New Mexico, where she has been for the last two weeks visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Cofer and son and daughter spent Sunday in Vernon at the home of S. W. McLarty. Mr. Cofer is a nephew of Mrs. M. H. Shirley, mother of Mrs. McLarty. He is in the law department of the University of Texas, at Austin, and was returning home after an automobile trip to Colorado.

The family of W. J. Barnes arrived Saturday from Snyder, Texas to make their home in Vernon. Mr. Barnes has accepted a position with the South Side Barber Shop. He is a brother of Dr. E. Barnes.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Bland passed through Vernon Saturday en route from Paducah, where they had been visiting relatives, to their home in Plano. They were the guests of Dr. E. Barnes while in Vernon.

The Pictorium Theatre

TUESDAY.

"THE BROKEN LAW"

featuring

WILLIAM FARNUM.**"THE GREAT GAMBLE"**

featuring

Anne Luther and Charles Hutchison.

WEDNESDAY.

MABEL NORMAND in "UP-STAIRS"

and Sunshine Comedy, "SON OF A GUN."

THURSDAY.

Francis X. Bushman and Beverly Bayne in "DARING HEARTS."

Vitagraph special production in 6 parts. Also Triangle Keystone Comedy.

COMING FRIDAY—ALICE BRADY in "HIS BRIDAL NIGHT."

COMING SATURDAY—EARLE WILLIAMS in "THE HORNET'S NEST."

IT'S GETTING DRY

(No reference to prohibition.)

Your wheat and oats are liable to burn in the field. I can "KIVER" you in shocks, stacks or granaries, at a very small price. See me.

C. S. McCOLLOCH

MRS. H. O. COLLEY

Teacher of Piano-Forte

Studio at Residence

Telephone 629

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Each Weekly Chapter runs 30 Minutes, with a Sensational Thrill occurring Every Minute! Wonderful athleticism and horsemanship are daringly displayed by the fearless heroine and hero in this greatest of all stunt serials—

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Anne Luther and Chas. Hutchison

WITH ALL-STAR SUPPORT

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HAY TIME is HIGH TIME FOR YOU TO HAVE MONEY IN THE BANK

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The Bank of Odell
ODELL TEXAS**HARNESS**

Made to Your Order, or From Stock

We buy only No. 1 Heavy Leather.

Expert Work.

Saddles Made to Order

Swartwood & Company

You can get what you want at your store.

STOMACH TROUBLE

Mr. Marion Holcomb, of Nancy, Ky., says: "For quite a long while I suffered with stomach trouble. I would have pains and a heavy feeling after my meals, a most disagreeable taste in my mouth. If I ate anything with butter, oil or grease, I would spit it up. I began to have regular sick headache. I had used pills and tablets, but after a course of these, I would be constipated. It just seemed to tear my stomach all up. I found they were no good at all for my trouble. I heard

THEDFORD'S

BLACK-DRAUGHT

recommended very highly, so began to use it. It cured me. I keep it in the house all the time. It is the best liver medicine made. I do not have sick headache or stomach trouble any more." Black-Draught acts on the jaded liver and helps it to do its important work of throwing out waste materials and poisons from the system. This medicine should be in every household for use in time of need. Get a package today. If you feel sluggish, take a dose tonight. You will feel fresh tomorrow. Price 25c a package. All druggists.

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YOUR BANK BOOK OPENS THE ROAD TO WEALTH

THERE IS NO SAFE "ROYAL ROAD TO WEALTH." There is a sure, safe and honorable way open to everyone—it is the savings account route.

The feeling of security, of consequence and happiness that a bank account brings is worth many times the financial sacrifice required to make the start.

We make it easy to open an account at this bank. Ask us.

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VERNON, TEXAS

MONDAY FIRST DAY OF DOVE SEASON THRESHERS FINISH AROUND OKLAUNION

BIRDS SAID TO BE PLENTIFUL LON BYARS SAYS FARMERS ARE
BUT WILL BE HARD TO HARVESTING BUMPER FEED
LOCATE. CROP NOW.

Doves are plentiful but will be harder to locate this season, owing to the abundant supply of water, according to Wilbarger County sportsmen, many of whom were out yesterday to take advantage of the holiday and the opening of the dove season. In dry years the doves are found at watering places where the supply does not fail. This season has been wet and the hunters will have to scare up the birds in the brush and fields.

Doves are the only birds which may be killed legally until October 16th. The quail season opens December 1 and closes January 31st. The dove season will close December 1. Fifteen doves and fifteen quail may be killed in one day.

If there are no more rains in the next few weeks hunters expect to have an easier time in getting the birds. When the smaller pools and watering places dry up the doves will be forced to water at streams and lakes, where the hunter can lay in ambush for the birds.

Numerous changes in the fish and game law have been made. The fee for a hunting license has been increased from \$1.75 to \$2. Anyone hunting beyond the limits of the county in which he resides must obtain a license. Under the old law a hunter could hunt without a license in his own county, in adjoining counties or on land owned or controlled by him.

New Law Is Outlined.

The State Fish, Game and Oyster Commissioner has announced the important features of the new law, as follows:

"Three buck deer during the season from November 1 to December 31, inclusive, each year. Three wild turkey gobblers during the season, from March 1 to April 30, inclusive, each year. Fifteen doves in one day, from September 1 to December 1, inclusive. Fifteen quails and Mexican pheasants (known as chacalaca) in one day, December 1 to January 31. Twenty-five ducks in one day, from October 16 to January 31. Eight brant per day, from October 16 to January 31. Eight sandhill cranes per day from October 16 to January 31.

"Hunters are not allowed to kill more than an aggregate of twenty-five in any one day of ducks, geese, brant, pectorals, curlews, snipe or shore birds.

Kill Rabbits Any Time.

"The law provides against killing at any time of the year any antelope, mountain sheep, prairie chickens, pheasants (except chacalaca), woodcock or wood duck.

"Rabbits, hawks, crows, buzzards, owls, English sparrows, rice birds and black birds may be killed in any number and all seasons.

"To buy, sell or barter any wild game birds is a violation of the law.

"Persons must not catch, kill or have in their possession nor ship at any one time more than the aggregate of seventy-five ducks, geese, brant and shore birds.

"Turkey hens must not be killed at any time.

"To catch, kill or have in one's possession any wild song birds is prohibited.

"Any wild game or wild game birds cannot be hunted at night with any kind of light or lantern."

"If Vernon Should Strike Oil, What Then?" Methodist Church Wednesday night. Come, Come, Come. 1tp

Miss Ada Hollar returned Sunday morning from a visit with relatives in Dallas and Midlothian.

If you haven't a kodak of your own, we will loan you one free. If you want to buy, we sell the Eastman line. Kramer Studio. Adv. 30-tfc

Mrs. H. Hunter has resigned her position with the Perkins-Timberlake Company. She left Saturday for Paducah and will be employed with Hall & Sonnys.

Wanted—Nice clean, cotton rags at the Record office. Don't bring any old stockings or woolen pants. 1tp

W. C. Baker went to Crowell Saturday to spend a day or two visiting friends and transacting business.

Arlie Herring went to Electra Friday to look after the interests of John Brown's grocery business in the absence of the manager, who is taking a vacation.

I have buyers for suburban city property. Vacant acreage property at right prices preferred. Either call phone No. 617 or call at my office. J. R. Jones, Agent, Ferguson building, North Main Street. 55-tfc

Harrold News.

Harrold, Sept. 1.—(By special correspondence.)—Most of the farmers of this community are through threshing grain, although the lately threshed wheat has not made as good yields as that threshed earlier.

Miss Daisy Moody returned to her home this week from the Canyon Summer Normal, where she has been studying since June. She acquired a six years' certificate while there.

Practically all of the grain around Oklaunion has been threshed, Lon Byars of that community reports. Mr. Byars was a business visitor in Vernon Saturday. He believes that when several fields in the East Vernon community have been threshed, the crop will have been cleaned up.

The country around Oklaunion and Harrold had, unquestionably, more acreage planted in grain than any other section of the county. Wheat averaged about twenty bushels to the acre, Mr. Byars said, and since the embargo on grain and the congestion in traffic has developed, farmers are having considerable trouble storing their grain.

Every inch of granary room is being utilized and a great deal of the crop is being stacked in sacks out in the field. Some few are building new granaries or enlarging old ones, but the farmers, generally, he said, figure that, with the high price of lumber, they are not justified in going to a heavy expenditure enlarging their storage space under the pressure of abnormal crops this year when the extra room will probably not be needed again for many years.

Most of them intend to sell the grain as soon as they can, anyway, he believes.

The end of the threshing season, however, by no means indicates that the farmers have nothing to do, said the Oklaunion man. They are now facing the problem of gathering one of the largest grain sorghum crops ever raised in this county. When Mr. Byars came in with his threshers he put his men to work gathering maize. Other men in that locality are using all available help in an effort to get their crops out of the field. Mr. Byars has seventy acres to tend and the men are having some trouble on account of so many of the stalks having been blown down by the recent wind storm.

Methodists Read.

Our meeting at Fargo closed Monday night. We will have a general prayer service at the church at 8:45 p.m. Wednesday. Subject for discussion, "If Vernon Should Strike Oil, What Then?" Come, Come, Come. 1tp

Three Buy Buicks and Overlands.

The sale of Buick cars is reported to Bradford Hancock and R. Brannon by the Robinson Motor Company. The Vernon Hardware & Implement Company sold an Oakland to S. S. Bell of Crowell.

"If Vernon Should Strike Oil, What Then?" Methodist Church Wednesday night. Come. 1tp

N. B. Hodge and L. C. Cole were visitors in Crowell Sunday.

Notice—I will allow hunters to shoot doves in my fields for the next ten days. W. M. Boger. 1tp

Clifford Strawn and Tom Prueett of Electra were visitors in Vernon Sunday.

City property, lands and oil leases. List your stuff with me. J. B. Lowe, office room 7, Lutz building. 62-tfc

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Carpenter returned Friday from an extended visit with relatives in Bonham and Denton, Texas, and Hot Springs, Ark. Mr. Carpenter is principal of the Elliott school for the coming session.

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Harrold. Everyone wishes them much success and happiness. The American Eagle Oil and Gas Company spudded in their Kelly No. 1 this week for a deep test. This test is in addition to many other new enterprises for the Harrold country, which is seemingly of great interest to oil people.

Claude Watkins and Chester Showers were Electra visitors this week.

Mrs. R. A. Rivers and children of Elliott were shopping in Harrold this week.

Edward Orton returned to his home at Belgrave this week after a ten day's visit with his aunt, Mrs. Sam Kelly.

Mrs. Charlie Gore and children of Electra returned home last week, after a several days' visit with her mother, Mrs. Tom Cooper. Miss Eva Gooch accompanied her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Henderson were Vernon visitors Friday.

Mrs. Albert McCane and children left Thursday for an indefinite visit with friends and relatives in Snyder, Texas.

"If Vernon Should Strike Oil, What Then?" Methodist Church Wednesday night. Come. 1tp

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Shoshire of Wichita Falls are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cameron this week.

Miss Garner Miller, accompanied by her cousin, Mr. Childers, returned to her home here this week, after an extended visit with friends and relatives in East Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Ashley and children of Ralls, Texas, are visiting Mrs. Ashley's mother here this week.

Last Tuesday evening Mrs. R. M. Pyle entertained several friends in honor of her son's twenty-first birthday. An interesting evening of games was enjoyed, after which an ice course

Many friends were surprised to learn of the marriage of Eric Houtchens to Miss Nettie Shumate of Duncan, Okla., last week. Miss Shumate formerly

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SENSE FOR WHITE AND BLACK.

When there is friction between white people and black in many sections of the country, it is particularly gratifying to read a statement full of good common sense from a representative negro. Read the following from L. L. Campbell, president of St. John's Encampment (colored) at Austin, issued Saturday:

"There is no just ground for complaint. The races in the South are getting along smoothly and where the negro accepts the advice of his white neighbor, prosperity is in evidence."

"The officers of the law who took necessary precautions to prevent a clash were indeed wise, for at this present moment an alteration between black men and white men, while not intended, might possibly have been the means of the death of many innocent good citizens of both races."

"I recommend that the executive board tender its service to Governor Hobby and the authorities, assuring them of our sincerity and readiness to co-operate for the enforcement of the law."

"We should let it be known by the passionate, extremist, irreconcilable persons of our own race seeking fights with other persons that we do not approve of this and will in no sense be responsible for the outcome."

"Our people should be advised to obey the law, stay in their places, keep busy, and refuse to be hoodwinked by idle and purposeless classes."

"I am awfully sick of this scarecrow of social equality and negro domination terms coined by cheap politicians."

"I find no fault with God for the color of my skin or the texture of my hair," President Campbell continued.

"Birds of a feather flock together, and when one breaks away from his own flock seeking admission into another, there is something unnatural."

"Every day letters are coming from the North and East on the part of negroes who went away some time ago. They are asking for money to get back home. These people have learned some valuable lessons. Those of us who remained at home looking after our affairs, not giving away our property, have been growing along every line, and we don't have to start life over."

"There is no doubt about the South being the garden spot of the world; and there is no doubt but that there is something lacking about the man who cannot be happy down here; for we have our churches, our schools, our social functions, our fraternal relations, our property, and every conceivable advantage and comfort for our physical, moral and intellectual development."

"The man either prospers or suffers in proportion to his ability to draw from nature what God has placed there for him."

The threatened increase in the fire insurance key rate should be sufficient to secure a hearty co-operation between property owners and City officials. The Mayor has been successful in having the execution of the threat withheld on the promise that fire hazards in the business district will be removed. Property owners should thank him for this opportunity to save the penalties of higher insurance rates and do everything in their power to make good his promise to the State Fire Rating Board. The Fire Marshal has labored diligently to secure a compliance with the fire code, but his efforts have been balked by recalcitrant property owners and tenants. It is now up to the latter to decide whether Vernon's insurance rate will be increased.

The announcement of the City Health Officer that he will see that Vernon cleans up inspires hope. Not that similar announcements have not been made in the past, because announcements and proclamations aplenty have issued from the City Hall. City officials have threatened

enforcement of various ordinances dealing with health problems, but few prosecutions have followed. The result is that the new health officer enters upon his duties with an old task confronting him. It is to be hoped that results will follow speedily and if they do not, that the penalty of the laws will be invoked to compel a more wholesome respect for the right of Vernon people to live in a clean, healthy community.

ERROR IN ANNOUNCEMENT.

Wilbarger Baptist Association Meets in Odell September 16
Instead of 9.
I authorized the announcement some days ago that the Wilbarger Baptist Association would convene Tuesday evening, September 9th, at Odell. This was an error, due to failure to look up the minutes, having in mind that the time was Tuesday before the second Sunday, rather than Tuesday after the second Sunday.

Let all messengers please note this, so that none will make the mistake of going to Odell, September 9, but wait until Tuesday, September 16th.

In this connection, the moderator solicits a large attendance, both of messengers and any who can be present. Any laymen, whether a messenger from his church or not, is just as welcome and as much desired as the messenger.

Some very important matters are to be discussed and the greater good will be accomplished if all the churches can be well represented.

A number of visitors will be in attendance and they will have messages worthy of being heard by every Baptist in the county. The annual meetings of the association give an opportunity for the dissemination of information and furnish inspiration for the year's work just ahead, and in the Christian life both information and inspiration are necessary, if the highest life is to be lived.

GEORGE J. MASON, Moderator.

West Vernon News.

West Vernon, Sept. 1.—(By special correspondence.)—A. M. Tacker of East Vernon spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. Hunt.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis of Oakland, California, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Cook.

Mr. and Mrs. Lou Phipps of White City spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. C. King.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cook and family spent Sunday night with Steve Cook and family of Vernon.

Mrs. L. A. Phipps and daughter, Miss Zula of Waxahachie, visited Mr. and Mrs. C. C. King Sunday evening.

Miss Lora Anderson of Wichita Falls daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Anderson, spent from Friday until Sunday with home folks.

C. Cook's nephew of Livingston, Tenn., is visiting him this week.

H. Hunt made a business trip to Margaret last Wednesday, returning Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Hunt will probably move Tuesday to Margaret.

Miss Theresa Hazard spent the week in Chillicothe visiting friends.

47 FROM VERNON GOING TO COLLEGE**LOCAL YOUNG PEOPLE WILL ATTEND SCHOOL IN FOUR STATES.**

Forty-seven young people from Vernon and surrounding community will attend college this fall. Others may go. Schools in four states will have representatives from here, although a large majority of the boys and girls will enter some college in Texas. Others will go to Tennessee, Virginia, and the National capital.

Texas Woman's College seems most popular, as eight young women will matriculate there. Five from here will go to the University of Texas, while Texas Christian University, Ward-Belmont, National Park Seminary, the College of Industrial Arts, Clarendon, and Southern Methodist University will each have three from here. Two will go to Decatur Baptist College, Simmons College, and Miss Hockaday's School in Dallas. One will go to Baylor University, Daniel Baker College, Mary Baldwin Seminary, Southwestern University, Carr-Burdette College, and Columbia Military Academy in Tennessee. One young woman will attend the Fort Worth High School, one will go to the Bowie Commercial College.

The young people who will leave Vernon during the next few weeks are: Misses Mary Weekly, Mary Davis, Margaret and Georgia Castlebury, Jenkins Bremond, Fay and Annie Greer, and Stella Harris to Texas Woman College, Miss Theresa Holt, Sam Gann and Reba Berry to Texas Christian University, both at Fort Worth; Miss Lucile Holt, John Lutz, Willie Abbott, Clyde Young and O. D. Thompson to the University of Texas; Misses Katherine Pierce, Geraldine Parker, and Dorothy Hicks to Ward-Belmont College, Nashville, Tennessee; Misses Ruby Thomas, Mary and Jeanie Blackman to National Park College, Washington, D. C.; Misses Florence Puckett and Erma Coleman to Simmons College, Abilene; Miss Thelma Tull to Daniel Baker College, Brownwood; Misses Helen Hiatt, Dollie Howard, and Owen Henry to Powell Training School at Dallas; Misses Fannie Bourland, Laura Randall, and Abbie Starr of Odell to the College of Industrial Arts at Denton; Edgar McHugh, Arthur Carney, and John Stephens to Clarendon College; T. J. McGill, Willis Smith, and Oscar Holman to Southern Methodist University at Dallas; Miford Rouse to Baylor University, at Waco; Misses Andre and Dorothy Cook to Miss Hockaday's School in Dallas; Miss Lora Sneed to the Bowie Commercial College; Marcus Sneed and Lewis Thompson to Decatur Baptist College; Miss Charlie Mae Northcraft to Mary Baldwin Seminary at Staunton, Va.; Miss Oleta Youngblood to Southwestern University at Georgetown; Miss Mildred Gilbert to Carr-Burdette College at Sherman; Perry Howard to Columbia Military Academy. Miss Florence Eggleston will attend the Fort Worth High School.

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Fargo News.

Fargo, Sept. 2—(By special correspondence)—A. R. Murphy, R. E. Draper and family, and William Culkin of Whitesboro, returned to their homes this week after visiting F. M. Culkin and family.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Wagner of Bowle are on an extended visit to their daughter, Mrs. Lee Smith, and family. Mr. Wagner is a druggist and probably may find a location near here.

Mrs. F. M. Culkin and her relatives, who visited her last week, spent Wednesday in Chillicothe.

The Baptist meeting closed Monday morning after the baptizing of five converts. About seven professions were made. One splendid young man surrendered his life to the call of the ministry.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Ketchersid are the proud parents of a 9 pound baby boy, born August 23rd.

Mrs. G. N. Suttle and children of Electra are visiting Mrs. Elkins this week.

Mines, C. Bargdollar, J. A. Carney, Then Stafford, Mr. and Mrs. Linton Sullivan, Misses Mamie Allen, Texas Coffee, Ruth Carney and Claudia Barg-

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Byars of Oklaumion and Mr. and Mrs. Luther Westmoreland and baby, visited J. H. Cato and family Sunday.

doll of Vernon attended the Methodist meeting last week. The meeting may continue this week. Several have made professions.

W. A. Wilhelm and family and Mrs. J. G. McCarron visited their brother this week.

Mrs. Joe Lloyd and daughter, Dora, of Gunter, J. W. Cartwright, wife and son, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Cartwright and family this week.

Miss Evelyn Young of Bowie returned to her home Tuesday after spending the summer with Miss Alice Harrell and Mrs. Mark Neal of near Odell.

Miss Lois and George Beavers, R. B. Richardson, Frank and Charlie Mason, and Artie Hays were Vernon visitors last week.

J. H. Cato and family expect to leave soon for Mineral Wells. They will make the trip in their car.

Mrs. E. L. Keltz returned Saturday night from Fort Worth where she went on business in connection with the development of oil lands in Wilbarger county.

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(By Clarence Ousley.)

Washington, Aug. 31.—It is safe to say that Texas will bank more money from the first of September to the first of January than in any three years of her previous history.

No I am not thinking in terms of oil. I have been studying the August crop report by the United States Department of Agriculture and I find that of the staples alone, to-wit, cotton, cotton seed, corn, wheat, oats, grain sorghum, hay and sweet potatoes, Texas has a crop which, at present values, amounts to \$1,171,000,000. Add to this sum rice, peanuts, fruits and vegetables, and the profit on live stock which is fattened upon some of these feeds, and the grand total will easily exceed \$1,500,000,000. It is all made except the cotton, and we know from many years of experience that there will be little, if any, default in the present estimate of final output.

I am counting upon 3,000,000 bales of cotton and 1,500,000 tons of cotton seed. But particularly I wish to contrast the yields of food and feed this year with those of last year.

The yield of corn is 186,576,000, compared with 69,000,000 last year.

The yield of oats is 72,600,000 compared with 22,197,000.

The yield of wheat is 33,759,000, compared with 8,920,000.

The yield of sweet potatoes is 8,770,000, compared with 5,046,000.

The yield of hay is 1,351,000, compared with 740,000.

The yield of grain sorghum is 57,554,000, compared with 24,075,000.

The yield of rice is 7,996,000, compared with 7,840,000.

Crops Are Augmented.

The reader who cares to confirm the gross estimate of value may use his pencil upon these figures and the following actual prices paid on the average in the United States on date of Aug. 1:

Wheat \$2.17, corn \$1.91, oats 75c, sweet potatoes \$1.67 hay \$20.16, kafir corn \$1.76, cotton seed \$64.24, cotton 32 1/2¢. In fact, in making the calculation of values I have discounted current prices.

Texas enjoys the distinction of these wonderfully increased yields in the face of disappointing yields for the entire United States on most of the same staples. Of wheat, corn, oats, white potatoes and sweet there is a considerable decline throughout the United States on August 1, compared with the July estimate. The decline in the yields for the whole country, together with the scarcity of food in Europe, insures continuing high prices until this crop is sold. Texas has the crops, and the world conditions makes the prices.

I have not yet reached the chief point of my observation, which is not so much to rejoice as to point a lesson.

The lesson is that Texas this year feeds herself. While there may be some imports of this or that food or feed, there will be exports to compensate and the balance of exchange will be slight. By this I mean to call attention to the fact that our cotton money will be "velvet."

Of course it has cost a great deal to make this crop. Labor has been high-priced and farm supplies have cost more than ever before, and the farmer who has a well-balanced system of agriculture and has had to employ the minimum of outside labor will show a handsome profit at the end of the season.

Texas Self Sustaining.

Suppose that we had only half as much food and feed and instead had 50 per cent more cotton. Cotton would be cheaper, food and feed would be higher and all the cotton money would be required to purchase the food and feed necessary to sustain the family and the livestock. By that system for many years past, until the war and the necessity of the situation taught us a better way, we would have had no more of substance at the end of the year than we had at the beginning of the year, if, indeed, we had not in the meanwhile accumulated some debt to carry over. Now we have food and feed enough to maintain us until another harvest and we have cotton as a surplus or a profit upon the year's labor and we have something more than \$500,000,000 of it which we may spend as we please for investment, for improvement, for comfort.

The net result in the balance of the surplus cotton, above food and feed, would be substantially the same whether corn was worth fifty cents or a dollar and a half a bushel, whether wheat was seventy-five cents or two dollars and twenty-six cents and whether cotton was worth thirty-five cents a pound or fifteen cents a pound, because the price of all other commodities of use or comfort have risen to about the same general level. This demonstrated philosophy of safe farming, therefore, will fit peace conditions as well as war conditions.

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sub-consciousness as a people the real meaning of this lesson, and if we can continue such a system of self-sustaining agriculture for another generation, the cotton belt will be the most prosperous region upon earth and its prosperity will continue long after the oil wells have ceased to flow or to yield enough to lubricate the pumps.

I rejoice in the oil prosperity of our State, but that is a windfall. I rejoice more in this agricultural prosperity because it means so much more to the commonwealth and the prosperity of the whole people than the accumulation of a few fortunes in a few hands. With prosperous, contented and cultured farmers constituting the largest single factor of the body politic, I have no fear of bolshevism or any other kind of socialism, and if we can establish this condition permanently in Texas, we may be sure that at least one commonwealth in the world will survive whatever earthquake or cyclone that may come to industrial States and communities.

New Garage on East Side.

J. F. Hardison and H. C. Thomas have rented the Hampton building on the east side of the square, formerly occupied by Peden Bros., and have established themselves in the garage business. The enterprise will be known as the Hardison & Thomas garage. Mr. Hardison has been employed with Napier Bros. Ford & Motor agency for some time while Mr. Thomas resigned a position with the Vernon Storage Battery Company to enter the garage business.

Grand Jury Empanelled Yesterday.

The fall term of the district court convened yesterday morning. Little but routine matters have been attended to. The grand jury was empanelled and is now in session. Today is appearance day and cases are being set on the docket. O. T. Warlick continues to represent the State in the absence of an appointment by Governor Hobby to fill the vacancy caused by his resignation as district attorney which was to have become effective Monday.

Goes to Thresh Wheat on Plains.

A. Allison left yesterday to look after threshing his wheat crop in Swisher and Randall counties. He has about 400 acres of wheat, and says the crop promises a good yield. Mr. Allison also has about 150 acres of wheat in Oklahoma, but will return to Vernon before going to thresh it.

H. W. Norwood of Wichita Falls visited the former part of the week here with friends and home folks.

T. F. Ingle of Grandview is in Vernon visiting at the home of his daughter, Mrs. D. D. McCroskey.

Mrs. J. M. Thomas and daughters, Ruby and Marguerite, returned Saturday night from Colorado Springs, where they have been spending the summer.

FATAL AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENT SUNDAY

SISTER OF MRS. E. D. TREVATHAN KILLED NEAR WICHITA FALLS.

Miss Mary Hull, sister of Mrs. E. D. Trevathan, was killed early Sunday morning when an automobile in which she was a passenger turned over near Wichita Falls. Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Trevathan and children, Violet and Marian, Dollie Hull (a sister), and Miss Lola Morgan, were in the car. All were bruised and Violet Trevathan received a severe cut on the leg.

The party had started for Medicine Park, Okla. It was hardly daylight when the car swerved too far, slid off the grade at a turn, turned over and fell on its side. Miss Hull, who was on the back seat, was crushed.

Parents of the dead girl were driving a few hundred yards ahead and had gone some little distance when, not seeing the lights of the following car, they turned back, and reached the scene just as the body of their daughter was being lifted from beneath the wreck. The body was placed in their car and hurried to Wichita Falls, but life was extinct.

Miss Hull was 22 years old, and is survived by her father and mother, three brothers and three sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. Trevathan lived in Vernon until recently, when they moved to Wichita Falls.

The Record joins with friends in sympathy for the deceased.

H. R. Orr of Burk Burnett is visiting his mother, Mrs. S. V. Orr.

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Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Hendrick of Chillicothe, were in Vernon Saturday on business.

A. L. Stringer, superintendent of the public schools at Medicine Mound, played in the First National Bank in Okla., passed through Vernon Friday. Electra, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Crawford, Sunday and Monday fields to look after his oil interests.

J. M. Thomas arrived Friday afternoon from Gorman to spend a few days with his family. He will return to Gorman tomorrow. Mr. Thomas is promoting the Gorman Home Refinery.

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STOLEN CAR FOUND IN BRYAN FRIDAY NEPHEW OF MRS. W. H. HUGGINS KILLED

J. M. DODSON'S FORD WAS TAKEN
IN WICHITA FALLS
WEEK AGO.

A Ford roadster stolen from J. M. Dodson about a week ago was located Friday in Bryan, Texas. The car was taken in broad daylight from in front of a theater in Wichita Falls. Officers, both at Wichita Falls and Vernon were notified immediately but nothing was heard of it until the message was received from Bryan. The number of the engine served as the mark of identification. Every officer has access to a catalogue of car numbers of the state and this catalogue was used by the Bryan officer, Sheriff W. A. Ish explained.

The man was not in the car and so far no arrests have been made.

Mr. Dodson is not in town but his father, Dr. J. E. Dodson, is sending for the car.

More cars are stolen in Wichita Falls than any city of its size in Texas, is the opinion of local officers. They base this statement on the number of cards and notices received daily from officers in that city, notifying that cars have been stolen and giving their description. Deputy Sheriff J. W. Cleggington believes the number of cars stolen in Wichita Falls will average three every twenty-four hours.

CLEVELAND AND DETROIT THE FOR FOURTH CITIES IN U. S.

Cleveland, Ohio, and Detroit, Michigan, are tied for fourth place among cities of the United States, according to tabulations of data secured in the survey of school attendance, reports from municipal water departments on 1910 and 1919 water services and consumers, and reports on families. St. Louis, which was fourth in 1910, has also given way to Boston, which was in fifth place at that time.

The following list is given as "The Big Twenty":

Rank	City	1910	1919
1—New York		4,766,883	6,244,616
2—Chicago		2,185,282	3,659,596
3—Philadelphia		1,549,008	1,936,260
4—Cleveland		560,663	936,300
5—Detroit		465,766	936,400
6—Boston		670,585	630,625
7—St. Louis		687,020	824,455
8—Baltimore		558,485	726,030
9—Pittsburg		533,905	667,384
10—Los Angeles		349,198	574,556
11—San Francisco		416,912	555,882
12—Buffalo		423,715	516,932
13—Milwaukee		373,857	504,707
14—Cincinnati		363,591	472,668
15—New Orleans		239,075	440,797
16—Washington		351,069	430,300
17—Minneapolis		301,408	421,971
18—Newark		347,463	416,963
19—Seattle		237,104	395,323
20—Rochester		218,149	349,038

Texas cities shown are as follows:

April 15, '10	July 1, '19
Austin	29,860
Beaumont	20,610
Dallas	92,104
El Paso	39,279
Fort Worth	73,312
Galveston	36,981
Houston	78,800
San Antonio	96,614
Waco	26,425

Huggins Studio Pupils' Notice.

Huggins piano studio will open Monday, September 15, one week after the opening of public school. This will give pupils an opportunity to become accustomed to study and regulation periods as arranged by their teachers, thus gaining the most from their first week of school. Enrollment and assignment of lesson periods will be September 12 and 13.

Pupils who have studied with us before are urgently requested to re-enroll. If you have moved to Vernon recently and want your child to do good work on piano we solicit your patronage. You can not make a mistake in your selection of Huggins Studio. Call at 426 West Paradise Street, or telephone No. 226, September 12 and 13 for enrollment.

Adv. 66-31c

Primitive Baptist Will Preach.

Elder T. A. Dunn will preach Wednesday night at the home of Oscar Wheeler on West Maiden street. Elder Dunn is a primitive Baptist minister and comes from Floydada.

Gulf Ford McCarroll was a visitor from Crowell Sunday.

Miss Ena Russell has accepted a position with the Dixon Dry Goods Company.

J. R. Jones' real estate office phone No. is 617. His office is located in the Ferguson building on the west side of North Main street, fronting east, just one door north of Hahn's dry goods store. If you want to buy, sell or rent real estate, you will find it to your interest to phone or call on him. 55-11e

FIRM WILL HANDLE OIL WELL SUPPLIES

GROWING IMPORTANCE OF VERNON AS CENTER OF OPERATIONS RECOGNIZED.

W. H. Huggins returned yesterday afternoon from Holliday, Texas, where he had been to attend the funeral of Mrs. Huggins' nephew, Little W. H. Taylor, Jr., who was killed in an automobile accident in that city about 5 o'clock Friday afternoon. They received a message advising them of the tragedy about an hour later and left in a car for Holliday. Mrs. Huggins will remain for several days with her brother.

Funeral services were conducted from the family residence, five miles from Holliday, at 5 o'clock Saturday afternoon by Rev. W. H. Wallace, Jr., assistant pastor of the First Methodist Church, South, of Wichita Falls. Deceased, who was but five years of age was run down on the streets by some boys in a Ford. Both wheels passed over his little body and death was instantaneous.

W. H. Jr. was the only child of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Taylor and the parents are prostrated with grief over the tragedy. Numerous friends will unite in sympathy for the bereaved relatives.

Epworth League to Give Social.

A lawn social will be given by the Epworth League at the Methodist parsonage Friday night at 8:45 o'clock. All young people are invited and especially those contemplating going away to school, as the entertainment will be for their benefit, particularly.

Mr. and Mrs. Jo. H. Trout spent Sunday at Damsite in Hardeman county.

Miss Ita Barksdale of Chico is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. D. Parnell, on South Main street.

Edwin Klingler has returned home from Oklahoma, where he spent some time visiting relatives.

Born—To Dr. and Mrs. T. A. King living on West Paradise street, a boy, Saturday, August 30.

Adv. 60-8te

FRISCO OFFICIALS HERE.

Railroad Men Are Pleased With Prospect of Development in Vernon and Surrounding Country.

J. G. Taylor, division superintendent, and H. V. Kengle, superintendent of bridges and buildings, of the Frisco Railway Company, were in Vernon yesterday on official business. They have headquarters at Enid, Okla.

The railroad men were taken over the oil fields and farms near Vernon and declared that they were surprised that the city was surrounded by such promising territory for oil. The land around Vernon, they declared, was among the most productive they had ever seen.

W. E. Muller of Frederick visited relatives in Vernon Friday.

Tom Hardison returned Friday from San Angelo. He visited in that country for about a week.

Miss Neva Robinson returned Friday from Wichita Falls where she has been for several days visiting friends.

NOTICE OF BIDS.

The trustees of the Harrold Independent School District will receive bids at this time to act as depository for district funds.

N. F. STRICKLAND, President.
D. H. VAUGHN, JR., Secretary.
66-31c Adv.

City property, lands and oil leases, List your stuff with me, J. B. Love, office room 7, Lutz building, 62-1fe

Miss Minnie Turner returned Friday from Greenville, where she has been visiting home folks for two weeks. She will teach in the Vernon schools.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Boyle, Miss Jamie Boyle and Mrs. Eunice Wilson and sons, Robert Lee and Wilmer Eunice, returned Friday afternoon from Mineral Wells where they had been for several days on a vacation.

26-1f Adv.

We specialize on Buicks, Paiges, Hudsons and in fact all other big cars. I don't work boys and charge you mechanic prices. All work guaranteed to be first class at Freeman's Cash Shop, located in the old Key blacksmith shop, north Main street, Vernon, Texas.

Adv. 60-8te

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On the assumption that the dissemination of market information will tend to improve conditions, the Bureau of Markets has developed a system of market reporting that has already had some effect in restoring confidence in the markets. While the information made available by the bureau is being used most extensively by those actively engaged in some branch of the livestock or meat industries, it is believed that sooner or later the public generally will utilize this knowledge and with it bring into line any retailers who reduce consumption by an unwarranted margin of profit.

Present Market-Reporting System.

The present market-reporting system, which was begun in the fall of 1916, has developed rapidly, and at present there are 17 service centers, each of which distributes daily, weekly and monthly reports on the various branches of the industry. These include daily reports on meat-trade conditions in Boston, New York, Philadelphia, Washington, Pittsburgh, San Francisco and Los Angeles; daily reports on live stock loadings; daily reports on the estimated receipts and prices of live stock at Chicago and Kansas City; reports of live stock movements in grazing and feeding sections; monthly reports on stocks of frozen and cured meats, eggs, and poultry; monthly reports on live stock receipts and shipments at all public stock yards, and monthly estimates on the supply of marketable live stock.

The report on meat-trade conditions at the leading markets brings to the small dealers, as well as to producers, information that was formerly possessed only by the larger meat-packing institutions. Specialists obtain full information daily on the fresh meat supply, including various grades of beef, veal, pork, lamb and mutton at the markets, and this information is tabulated and distributed widely by telegraph, through a leased-wire system, to meat-market centers. In a similar manner daily price quotations are furnished on different grades of live stock. As applied to fresh meats, this service results in giving to the public full information as to the supply and accurate data on values of all commercial grades. Secrecy is eliminated, so that when prices on meats are high, as compared with values on foot, it is possible to locate the profiteer.

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FOR SALE—4-room house, West Vernon, close in. Will give a bargain in this place. Good terms. R. L. Nichols, Record office. 66-1tp	FOR RENT—Nicely furnished sleeping room. Phone 451. 1tp
FOR SALE—at a bargain, one or three sections of land. Part of it can be irrigated at a small cost. Also will lease 165 acres for oil at \$10 per acre. W. M. Boger, Tolbert. 66-16tp	FOR RENT—Nicely furnished south-east bed room, 4 blocks west on Texas street. Phone 202. Mrs. R. S. McConie. 66-3tc
FOR SALE—4-room house, West Vernon, close in. Will give a bargain in this place. Good terms. R. L. Nichols, Record office. 66-1tp	
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FOR SALE—206 3-4 acres land, three-fourths mile northeast of Oklamon, good improvements, also some good milk cows for sale at a bargain. J. S. Couch. 65-4tc	
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FOR SALE—Bay pony, about 900 pounds, smooth mouth, stout back, good work horse. A. C. (Eck) Robertson, piano tuner. Phone 229, Vernon. 65-5tc	
FOR SALE OR TRADE—We have a bunch of horses that we will sell or trade. Will trade for anything. Howard & Sneed. 65-3tc	
FOR SALE—Duroc Jersey pigs, both sex for fall breeding; good individuals, and highly bred. Papers for registration furnished. J. N. Denny. 65-4tp	
FOR SALE CHEAP—Eight good milk cows, registered Duroc boar and several registered sows and pigs, subject to registration. R. B. Judd, near Box schoolhouse. 64-4tp	
Miscellaneous	
FOR SALE—Practically new Remington, No. 10 typewriter. See Conger Sheet Metal Co. 64-3tp	
FOR SALE—One three-disc Sanders plow in good shape. W. M. Judd. 1tp	
WANTED—Messenger boys. Apply at Western Union Telegraph office. 65-3tc	
FOR SALE—60 acres of cotton, 60 acres of feed, one luster practically new, one go-devil, 3 miles and one horse, and harness for the four. Seven and one-half miles south of Vernon. C. A. Dunigan or write Vernon Record. 66-3tp	
FOR SALE—One five-passenger Mitchell-Six in good running order. Will make dandy truck or family car if repainted. Will consider some good oil stock in trade. Also have a Dodge Roadster with new battery in good running order. If interested, see or write H. T. Still, Vernon. 5512tp	
WANTED	
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WANTED—By young man, room and board with private family with piano privileges. A-1 character, references. Phone 171. 1tp	
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LOST—Dark blue horse colt, year old passed, little thin, seen in Vernon Thursday evening. Suppose he followed some one out of town. Notify M. R. Polton, Route 4 or phone J. L. 100, 9006 E. 3. 61-3tp	
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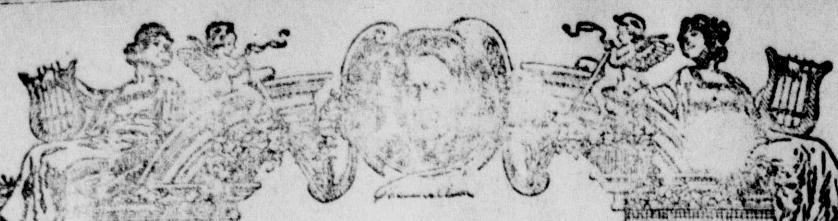
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Hulen Weaver of Lufkin has accepted a position with the McCelvey Grocery Company. He is a nephew of Mrs. A. P. McCelvey. 624tf Adv.

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MISS ANNIE BELLE MAY MARRIES COLLEGE SWEETHEART IN FORT WORTH.

Miss Annie Belle May, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. May of Fargo, and Lynn W. Landrum were married Friday afternoon in Fort Worth. The ceremony was performed by Rev. W. E. Hawkins, Jr., at the home of Walter Scott, an uncle of the bride. Rev. Hawkins is a cousin.

The young couple left immediately for Bryan, where Mr. Landrum is editor of The Daily Eagle. Only immediate friends and relatives were present. Robert and Miss Florence May, brother and sister, of the bride attended from Vernon.

Miss May is a graduate of the University of Texas, and for four years had been assistant registrar of the institution. She was regarded as one of the most brilliant young women in the University circle, and was a member of Phi Beta Kappa, honor scholarship society.

The groom was a graduate of the law department of the University. While a student he was editor of The Texan, the University daily paper. He was also associate editor of The Alcalde, published by the University alumni association. Mr. Landrum entered the first Officers' Training Camp at Leon Springs and was commissioned Lieutenant. During the war he was stationed at Camp Travis.

Mr. and Mrs. Landrum were leaders in Sunday school and church work at the University, and it was an acquaintanceship begun there that culminated in the wedding Friday.

The Record joins a host of friends in congratulations and good wishes.

WED AT METHODIST CHURCH.

Lieutenant Henry W. Grant and Lawton Girl Married in Vernon Saturday Afternoon.

Lieutenant Henry W. Grant, formerly commander of the Quartermasters Department, A. R. D. 327, Fort Sill, Okla., was united in marriage with Miss Burthele E. Habbs of Lawton, Okla., at 1 o'clock Saturday afternoon in the Methodist Church by Rev. Henry F. Brooks, pastor. Others present at the wedding were: J. D. Key, Mrs. Ella Everett and Miss Whittaker. The couple left immediately for Lawton to make their home. The groom will engage in business in that city.

Maps for Sale.

Maps of Wilbarger and Hardeman counties, may be had on application to R. H. Stucky, Chillicothe, Texas. Size of maps 20x30 inches. Wilbarger map shows all of blocks No. 10-16 extending into Hardeman county, also all of blocks 8-18 and E and part of Block A, Foard county. Hardeman county map, shows all of blocks No. 10 and 16 of Wilbarger county. Price of either map, blue print or paper \$1.50. R. H. STUCKY, Architect, Chillicothe, Texas.

Glover Will Build Soon.

J. R. Love has sold a residence lot on West Texas street to J. T. Glover, cashier of the First Guaranty State Bank, who anticipates erecting a modern residence within the near future. Mr. Glover moved to Vernon from Kirkland to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of A. H. Murchison.

For Sale.

Oil leases of 1,500 acres, solid body. Oil leases near locations, derricks now up; have lease of various sizes in all parts of county, 10,000 acre improved ranch, all tillable, at \$16.00 per acre; 5,000 acres well improved and watered land, all tillable but 500 acres. Price \$16.00. See J. E. Lantz. 46-tf

Burkburnett Man to Move Here.

G. E. Rogers of Burkburnett has bought a place on East Maiden street from J. H. Evans and contemplates moving to Vernon some time in the near future. Blackwood, Larimore & Oats handled the deal.

See My Wallpaper Samples.

I have a nice line of wall paper sample books, and would be glad to bring them to your house and sell you the paper for your new home. Just telephone 540. 59-tp

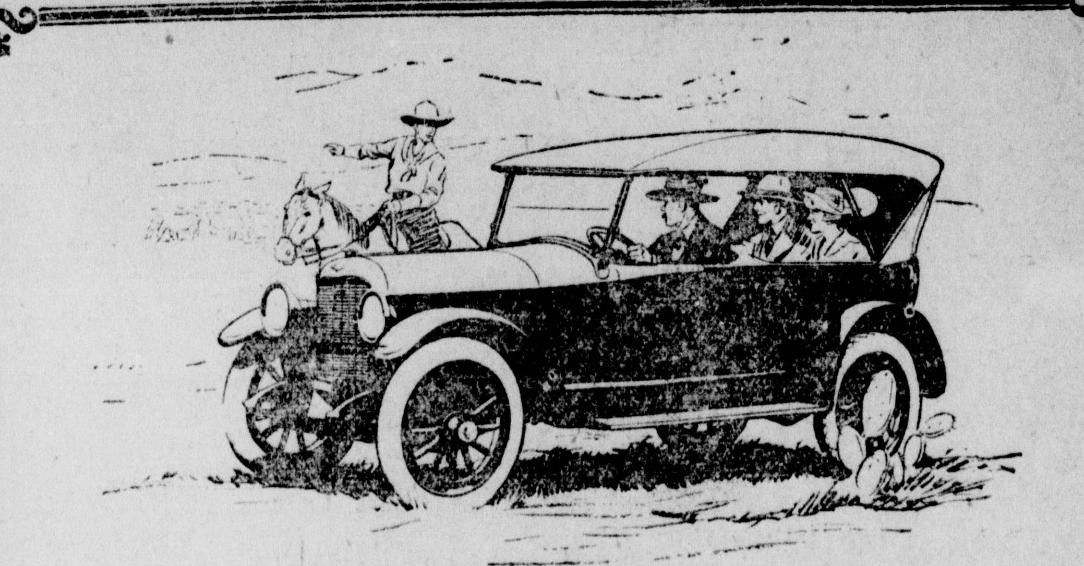
W. B. JAMESON.

Misses McLarty Buy Home.

W. H. Doss has sold a residence near the Central School building to Misses Essie and Alice McLarty. Blackwood, Larimore and Oats were agents in the transaction.

Frank Byrd returned Sunday from Mineral Wells, where he had been on a week's vacation.

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FEWER READING BOOKS NOW.

Librarian's Report Shows Only 144 Volumes Other Than Fiction Checked Out in August.

Nearly 400 fewer books were checked out of the Carnegie Library during August than May, which was the record month. Fourteen hundred and eighty-three books were borrowed, of which only 144 were other than fiction.

Fines collected and membership cards sold brought in \$8.62.

Miss Lillian Newton, Librarian, announces receipt of a copy of "Self-Instruction Course in Civil Service," for all Federal, State, and municipal examinations. The book is written by A. E. Wartherman, civil service expert.

A bulletin has been received from the University of Texas, containing a model oil and gas contract. It was prepared by George C. Butte, professor of law, for the benefit of farmers who are unacquainted with the legal construction of the contracts they are asked to sign. "Boy's Life," a magazine for youngsters has also been received.

Visit Our Mattress Display.

A display room has been opened by Price's Mattress Factory at 203 West Wilbarger street—next door to the factory. You are invited to visit our display of new mattresses. We also make over your old mattress and give it a new lease on life.

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If you will compare our prices with those of other stores, you will find, considering the rising market conditions, many striking savings in furniture and household goods of all kinds. It pays to trade here.

116 THE EVERYTHING STORE

Mr. and Mrs. H. Hunt expect to leave today for Margaret, where they will make their home. Mr. Hunt recently sold his farm near Vernon. He has lived here at different times for thirty years, and says he expects to return frequently.

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In every day of their young lives are events of almost dramatic interest; the painted gallop across the porch on the hobby horse; the adventure with the puppy in the garden; sister's new frock and brother's new tricycle; that important morning when with stout hearts they first trudge off to school—such pictures, preserving forever the childhood days, mean a world of comfort to mother's heart—yes and to father's too.

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BUSINESS HOUSES CLEANING ALLEYS

CITY OFFICIALS GRATIFIED AT RESULTS OF CAMPAIGN FOR SANITATION.

The city officials are gratified with the results of the alley clean-up campaign that has been conducted during the last few days under the direction of City Marshal R. H. Bratton. Especially are the business men responding to the request that their premises be made as nearly safe from fire as possible, Mr. Bratton advises. The campaign, however, is receiving the co-operation of the entire citizenship of the town, he said.

Several of the business men were surprised at the amount of trash in the alleys as they had come to give the matter little attention. The rubbish was hauled away by the wagon loads and Mr. Bratton believes that within a day or two the city will be put in good condition, as far as the fire risk is concerned. He expects to make another inspection some time soon for the purpose of seeing that the necessary precautions are being taken within the buildings.

The clean-up campaign is being waged with a view to averting the increase in the key rate of the city. An order issued from the State Insurance Department at Austin called for an increase from fifty-seven to sixty cents. Mayor Harry Mason has secured the promise that the order would not be put into effect upon the assurance that the alleys would be properly attended to.

Doctor Advised Him to Take It

A. F. Roberts, Successful Cattle Dealer Gains 16 Pounds in 60 Days

Taking Tanlac.

"One of the best doctors in Colorado advised me to take Tanlac, and it has not only overcome my troubles but I have gained sixteen pounds since I began taking it sixty days ago," said A. F. Roberts, who lives at Rocky Ford, Alberta, Canada, a few days ago.

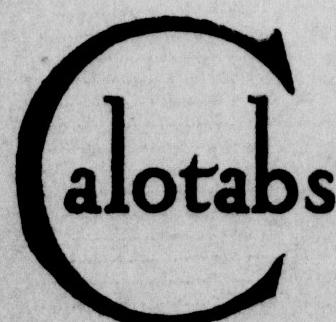
Mr. Roberts is one of the largest cattle dealers in his section of the country, and before moving to Canada a short time ago, he had spent most of his life in Colorado, U. S. A.

"I can now understand why Tanlac enjoys such wide popularity both in Canada and the United States," continued Mr. Roberts, "and since it has done me so much good, I know that it is a very dependable medicine and deserves all the praise that is being given it. For the last two years I have suffered from stomach trouble, and when I commenced taking this Tanlac, it was almost impossible for me to retain anything I ate. I was very nervous and never got a good night's sleep, and finally, got so weak and rundown that I was hardly able to get about. I often had dizzy spells, and was bothered a great deal with constipation."

"My physician certainly knew what he was doing when he prescribed Tanlac for me, for it has done the work for me, as I am as healthy and strong now as I ever was in my life. In fact it has done much more for me than I expected it would do. I have a fine appetite and everything I eat agrees with me perfectly, and I never have the slightest sign of stomach trouble of any kind. I am no longer bothered with constipation, and never have those dizzy spells any more. I have regained all my strength, too, and that nervousness has left me, and I sleep like a log every night. In fact, I am simply enjoying perfect health again, and I give Tanlac credit for it all."

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Financial Report of the City of Vernon, Texas.

Vernon, Texas, July 11, 1918.—Report of C. E. Basham, City Treasurer of the City of Vernon, Texas, from April 1, 1918, to and including July 11, 1918:

1st Class, General Fund	\$3,948.11
3rd Class, Permanent Improvement Fund	156.98
4th Class, Street and Bridge Fund	Balanced
5th Class, Cemetery Fund	991.57
6th Class, Waterworks Bond Fund	708.81
7th Class, Sewer System Bond Fund	328.47
8th Class, City Hall Bonds Fund	705.78
9th Class, City School House Bond Fund	5.78
10th Class, Refunding Bond Fund	2,176.37
11th Class, Water and Sewer Fund	Balanced
12th Class, School Building Repair Fund	104.74
13th Class, School Building Bond Fund	149.92
14th Class, Waterworks Extension Bond Fund	183.58
15th Class, Sewer Extension Fund	
16th Class, Waterworks Extension, Series No. 2 Fund	165.98
17th Class, Sewer Extension Fund, Series No. 2	110.90
18th Class, School Building Repair Fund	196.82
19th Class, School House, Series No. 6 Fund	1,031.74
20th Class, City Park Fund	25.00
21st Class, Street Improvement Bond Fund	768.96
22nd Class, School House No. 5 Bond Fund	765.97
23rd Class, Street Improvement, Series No. 2	1,410.06
24th Class, Street Paving	4.70
25th Class, Sanitary Fund	49.30
26th Class, Sewer Extension Bond Fund	180.91
28th Class, Waterworks Extension Series No. 2 Bond Fund	636.44
29th Class, Street Improvement, Series No. 2 Bond Fund	620.89
30th Class, School House, Series No. 6 Bond Fund	705.07
31st Class, School Building Repair, Series No. 2 Bond Fund	192.56
32nd Class, Library Fund	552.10
Interest Account, per statement, unappropriated	
	\$9,150.07 \$11,964.51
July 11, 1918, Net amount on hand at this date	2,814.44
	\$11,964.51 \$11,964.51

Respectfully submitted,

C. E. BASHAM, City Treasurer.

Receipts—General Fund—1st Class.

May 2, 1918, S. H. Hall, No. 3085, delinquent tax	\$27.37
May 2, 1918, S. H. Hall, fines and cost	15.70
May 2, 1918, S. H. Hall, Neatherly salary refund	5.00
June 1, 1918, S. H. Hall, No. 3707, del. tax \$12.85, occupation \$6.00	\$25.84
-pound fees \$7.00	
July 1, 1918, S. H. Hall, No. 3718, del. tax \$19.89; fines and cost \$9.80;	\$55.69
-pound fee \$1.00, occupation \$25.00	
July 11, 1918, To balance	\$3,948.11

Disbursements—General Fund 1st Class.

April 1, 1918, Balance	\$1,636.49
S. H. Hall, March salary	125.00
J. W. Carrington, March salary	75.00
Harper Reed, March salary	10.00
H. C. Justin, March salary	75.00
C. E. Basham, March salary	10.00
J. P. King, March salary	10.00
E. L. Witty, January salary	10.00
E. L. Witty, March salary	10.00
E. L. Witty, February salary	10.00
L. P. Bonner, March salary	10.00
M. G. Neatherly, March salary	10.00
R. H. Bratton, March salary	10.00
Harry Mason, March salary	10.00
J. S. Buchanan, election clerk	10.00
A. M. Hiatt, Judge of election	10.00
Jas. C. Smith, hauling	10.00
S. H. Hall, stamps	1.50
T. P. Griffith, 1 day election	2.00
H. C. Justin, April salary	30.00
M. T. Davis, account of city election	2.00
Vernon Record, city printing	12.20
John Morris, 1 day election	2.00
Vernon Call, 100 envelopes	4.50
T. M. Ferguson, 6 globes	4.50
Texas Public Service Co., 200 W. Lamp	2.25
Southwestern Telephone Company, city hall phone	2.00
Ferrell-Swartzwood Company, 2 38 by 4 1/2 tires	203.00
J. H. Pendleton, office supplies	1.05
O. M. Whitehurst, account pound fees	.65
H. Launhoff, April sanitary salary	60.00
S. H. Hall, April salary	125.00
Harper Reed, April salary	10.00
C. E. Basham, April salary	10.00
J. W. Carrington, April salary	7.85
R. H. Bratton, April salary	8.35
J. P. King, April salary	10.00
M. G. Neatherly, April salary	10.00
A. P. Howard, 23 certificates	5.75
S. H. Hall, stamps	6.00
T. M. Ferguson, 10 globes	8.10
P. L. Massie, 20 acknowledgements	10.00
Vernon Record, printing	22.50
Ferrell-Swartzwood Company, account car for city	3.65
S. W. Telephone Company, City Hall account	30.30
E. L. Witty, Bond for S. H. Hall	37.50
Necessity Store, one mop	.45
Columbia Ribbon Company, stationery city hall	7.80
T. P. Griffiths, clerk of election	2.00
J. H. Pendleton, supplies	1.65
Frankie Carbon Manfg. Company, 6 ribbons	4.00
A. J. Robinson, one telegram	.80
W. O. Powell, assistant judge of election	2.00
J. S. Buchanan, clerk of election	2.25
A. M. Hiatt, judge of election	4.00
Adams Express Company, express	.37
S. H. Hall, May salary	125.00
M. G. Neatherly, May salary	10.00
Harry Mason, May salary	50.00
C. E. Basham, May salary	10.00
T. H. Shive Motor Company, account of Ford car	5.40
J. W. Carrington, May salary	25.00
John Morris, assistant judge of election	2.00
Harper Reed, May salary	10.00
R. H. Bratton, May salary	85.00
J. P. King, May salary	10.00
S. H. Hall, stamps	3.00
J. S. Cook, May salary	40.00
Will Todd, work on valves	2.50
C. S. McColloch, C. E. Basham's bond	25.00
The Dorsey Company, election blanks	2.50
Wright Grocery Company, account City Hall	1.90
Necessity Store, account supplies	.35
Ferrell-Swartzwood, account supplies for Ford	32.70
L. M. Anderson, account of Bond election	4.50
J. S. Cook, April salary	33.35
Vernon Cotton Oil Company, excess tax Planters Gin	1.80
Wichita Typewriter Exchange, work on machine	6.50
Southwestern Telephone Company, City Hall phone	2.00
Vernon Record, printings—stamps	56.75
Maverick-Clegg Company, 1918 tax rolls	29.25
J. D. Key, feeding prisoners	4.00
E. L. Witty, April salary	10.00
E. L. Witty, May salary	10.00
Frisco Railway Company, freight	3.85
Gulf Refining Company, 5 gallons oil	3.25
S. H. Hall, June salary	125.00
R. H. Bratton, June salary	85.00
W. E. Burns, 4 days work	3.00
J. W. Carrington, June salary	70.00
Harper Reed, June salary	10.00
Harry Mason, June salary	50.00
C. E. Basham, June salary	10.00
J. S. Cook, June salary	40.00
J. P. King, June salary	10.00

\$1,077.71

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Receipts—Permanent Improvement Fund—3rd Class.

April 1, 1918, Balance	\$247.63
May 3, 1918, S. H. Hall, No. 3687	30.83
May 20, 1918, S. H. Hall, No. 3695, Transfer from 12th Class	410.49
June 1, 1918, S. H. Hall No. 3709, taxes	14.77
July 5, 1918, S. H. Hall, No. 3720, taxes	23.31

F. M. Rowland, street work

J. R. Renfro, account street department

Ben Caldwell, 3 days work

Will Todd, work on tools

H. A. Sullivan, 1 1/2 days work

Shamburger Lumber Company, cement

J. R. Crawford, 2 1/4 days work

W. E. Burns, 6 days work

Denver Railway Company, freight

T. C. Richards, work

H. A. Sullivan, work

Wm. Cameron & Company, lumber

PARENTS THOUGHT ADERHOLT OVERSEAS

ELLIOTT BOY SERVED UNDER GENERAL DICKMAN AND WAS AT CHATEAU THIERRY.

Probably no family has experienced a greater surprise over the return of a soldier from overseas than was occasioned by the arrival of Howard Aderholt at his home near Elliott Tuesday morning. Howard is a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Aderholt and was thought by his parents to be overseas until his mother saw him approaching the house outside the yard gate. The rejoicing that followed may well be imagined.

Howard is at home on a thirty-day furlough, following service overseas with the Third Division for about eighteen months. He was in the Medical Corps and took part in five major operations. The Elliott boy participated in the Chateau Thierry drive under General Dickman on the occasion that commander answered a demand from the Germans for a surrender with the well known challenge: "Retreat, hell we have just arrived and our next move will be forward."

The Wilbarger soldier was severely gassed and is still suffering from the injury. He re-enlisted on the 23rd day of last May for a year's service in Poland, but he said, for some reason or other he was never sent to that country. He is now stationed at Camp Pike, Ark.

Wildcat News.

Wildcat, Sept. 2.—(By special correspondence)—Fleet Oliver made a trip to Quanah the past week with the intention of renting a place for another year, but came back and has taken the Bargdill place. We are glad he will be here another year.

Mrs. John Patton returned Thursday from Walters, Okla., where she had been visiting her father, C. Colbert, and family. Her brother, Arthur, had just received an honorable discharge from the navy and returned home. He had made good in the navy rising as high as he could go without becoming a commissioned officer.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Patton and baby returned to their home at Dallas Sunday night. They have been visiting Mrs. Patton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Hildebrand. Mr. Patton said he was considering moving out here another year.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Morehead, from the Lockett community, are spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Will Nunn.

We are glad to see Annie Nunn, who has had typhoid fever, able to be up.

Mr. Nuel Brooks, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. L. H. Lowry at Dublin, returned home Saturday.

Our teachers for the following year are Miss Leola Smith of Fargo, principal, and Miss Nell Hughes of Hinds, assistant.

Rev. R. V. Tooley came out to G. W. Hildebrand's Sunday evening and baptized little Martha Joe, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Patton of Dallas.

A letter from Oscar Burk to his mother, Mrs. J. L. Burk, says he has had only light attacks of asthma since going to the plains.

Frank Hildebrand went to Walters, Okla., Sunday night to resume his work in the grocery store of Jim Ewing.

Mr. and Mrs. Fleet Oliver gave a cream super Saturday night, which was a very enjoyable affair.

NEEDED COAT IN VIRGINIA.

S. C. Johnson Says Prosperity of Old Dominion Is Great as in Northwest Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Johnson returned this week from an extended vacation in Virginia and Maryland. They visited Baltimore, Norfolk, Buffalo, Lithia Springs, Danville, and Lynchburg, and spent some time in the Blue Ridge mountains. Mr. Johnson says he slept under one and two quilts all the time, and on one occasion borrowed an overcoat from a friend.

The climate agreed with the visitors, too. Mr. Johnson gained nine pounds in weight. He has high praise for the good things they have to eat in the Old Dominion, and adds—"I just wish I could forget the spring water."

Virginia is as prosperous as Northwest Texas, according to Mr. Johnson. He says children can get out and gather berries and bark enough to make \$4 or \$5 a day.

For Sale.

Oil leases of 1,500 acres, solid body. Oil leases near locations, derricks now up; have lease of various sizes in all parts of county. 10,000 acre improved ranch, all tillable, at \$16.00 per acre; 5,000 acres well improved and watered land, all tillable but 500 acres. Price \$16.00. See J. E. Luiz.

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July 5, 1918, S. H. Hall, Hall's collections	\$845.35, tapping fees \$29.00 874.35
July 11, 1918, Balance	2,176.37

Disbursements—Water and Sewer Fund—4th Class.

April 1, 1918, Balance	\$1,579.58
W. V. Sneed, March salary	\$ 65.00
A. J. Robinson, March salary	62.50
W. E. Burns, 6 1-3 days work	14.25
P. G. Temmison, March salary	55.00
C. A. Cannill, 1-2 days work	1.10
R. W. Hix, 6 1-3 days work	14.25
Waggoner National Bank, Ser. No. 15, payment Tex. Supply	158.90
Gould Manufacturing Company, pump supplies	7.32
D. A. Lane, 1 3-4 days work	4.35
Ben Caldwell, 6 days work	13.50
R. W. Hix, 6 days work	13.50
W. E. Burns, 6 days work	13.50
Hampton Plumbing Co., meter boxes	12.25
L. J. Fullen, 3 days work	8.90
Will Todd, supplies	4.25
Ben Caldwell, 5 1-2 days work	18.05
Southwestern Telephone Co., 2 phones	12.35
W. E. Burns, 3 days work	1.00
H. A. Dodson, 3 days work	13.18
Briggs-Weaver Company, waste	6.36
Lowe Brothers, account station	1.80
General Construction Company, work	12.38
Ben Caldwell, 5 1-2 days work	58.72
American Cast Iron Company, pipe	13.50
Ben Caldwell, 6 days work	6.73
Denver Railway Company, freight	150.86
Waggoner National Bank, Ser. No. 16, Tex. Machine Co.	65.00
W. V. Sneed, April salary	60.00
A. J. Robinson, April salary	55.00
C. A. Cannill, April salary	55.00
P. G. Temmison, April salary	55.00
D. A. Lane, 6 days work	15.00
Ben Caldwell, 6 days work	13.50
Adams Express Company, express	13.50
Denver Railway Company, freight	13.50
Denver Railway Company, freight	13.50
Ben Caldwell, 3 days work	1.00
W. E. Burns, 6 days work	1.00
Lowes Bros., account wells	1.00
L. Wolff Manufacturing Company, valves for well	1.00
W. E. Burns, 6 days work	1.00
G. F. Lebus Machine Company, pipe for well	1.00
N. O. Nelson Company, 2 dozen water meter boxes	1.00
Wade Perkins, work on pump	1.00
Denver Railway Company, freight	1.00
Ben Caldwell, 4 days work	1.00
W. E. Burns, 3 1-2 days work	1.00
S. E. Owens, 3 days work	1.00
Neptune Meter Company, 20 meters	1.00
Neptune Meter Company, meter repairs	1.00
Pittsburg Meter Company, 1 dozen meters	1.00
P. G. Temmison, May salary	1.00
Buffalo Meter Company, meter repairs	1.00
Frisco Railway Company, freight	1.00
Ben Caldwell, 6 days work	1.00
A. J. Robinson, May salary	1.00
W. E. Burns, 3 1-2 days work	1.00
Waggoner National Bank, Series No. 17, payment Tex. Machinery Co.	160.82
Shamburgh Lumber Company, cement	1.00
D. A. Lane, 500 feet water line	1.00
L. J. Fullen, regular guitar	1.00
W. E. Burns, 3 days work	1.00
Wade Perkins, work on machinery	1.00
C. R. Staley, supplies	1.00
Hampton Plumbing Company, meter boxes	1.00
Fairbanks-Morse Company, account of lights	1.00
Swartzwood & Company, supplies	1.00
Ben Caldwell, 3 days work	1.00
D. A. Lane, 2 taps	1.00
Denver Railway Company, freight	1.00
Briggs-Weaver Company, supplies	1.00
Southwestern Telephone Company, 2 phones	1.00
Lowe Brothers, account of wells	1.00
Denver Railway Company, freight	1.00
N. O. Nelson Company, one ton	1.00
D. A. Lane, account sewer	1.00
W. E. Burns, 2 days work	1.00
Ben Caldwell, 6 days work	1.00
W. V. Sneed, June salary	1.00
C. A. Cannill, June salary	1.00
P. G. Temmison, June salary	1.00
Carl Johnson, 5 days work	1.00
D. A. Lane, account of water extension	1.00
Waggoner National Bank, Series No. 18-19, Faribanks Morse	269.90
B. Johnson, 3 days work	1.00
W. E. Burns, 2 days work	1.00
V. O. Morris, top for well	1.00
Ben Caldwell, 6 days work	1.00
W. V. Sneed, June salary	1.00
C. A. Cannill, June salary	1.00
P. G. Temmison, June salary	1.00
Carl Johnson, 5 days work	1.00
W. E. Burns, 6 days work	1.00
Ben Caldwell, 6 days work	1.00

Receipts—School Building Repair Fund—Series No. 2, 12th Class.

April 1, 1918, Balance	\$410.49
Disbursements.	\$110.49

Receipts—School Building Bond Fund—13th Class.

April 1, 1918, Balance	\$387.71
May 20, 1918, U. S. Treas. Int. on Liberty Bond	6.00

Disbursements.

April 1, 1918, Balance	\$101,174
May 20, 1918, U. S. Treasury, interest on Liberty bonds	29.00

Disbursements.

April 3, 1918, Waggoner National Bank, 4757, Coupon 15, bonds 1-8	\$225.00
July 11, 1918, Balance	419.92

Disbursements.

April 3, 1918, Waggoner National Bank, Coupon No. 15, Bonds 1-8	\$183.58
July 11, 1918, Balance	258.58

Receipts—Sewer Extension Fund—15th Class.

April 1, 1918, Balance	\$249.58
May 20, 1918, U. S. Treas. interest on Liberty bond	9.00

Disbursements.

April 3, 1918, Waggoner National Bank, Coupon No. 15, Bonds 1-8	\$75.00
July 11, 1918, Balance	183.58

Disbursements.

April 3, 1918, To Balance	\$105.98
April 3, 1918, Balance	55.33

Disbursements.

July 5, 1918, S. H. Hall, sale sewer pipe	110.90
July 11, 1918, Balance	611.42

Disbursements.

D. A. Lane, 6 days work	8.15
W. E. Burns, 6 days work</td	

Fargo News.

Fargo, Sept. 4.—(By special correspondence.)—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wright, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Canney, H. E. Key, Frank Ketchersid, C. S. Smith, L. K. Baird, Dr. and Mrs. D. T. Jordan were Vernon visitors this week.

Dr. C. G. Trinkle of Dallas was in the community this week representing the U. S. Machine Company. He will place several in the community as it is a sewing machine used in all domestic science work.

G. A. Hendricks and family have moved on R. B. Richardson's place.

Miss Anna Belle May, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. May, was married in Fort Worth last week to L. W. Landrum, editor of the Bryan, Texas, Eagle. Miss May is a graduate of the State University at Austin and has been assistant registrar there for several years. Her many friends offer congratulations.

The Methodist meeting closed Monday evening. Several professions were made and additions to the church were obtained. Miss Vertna Hudson of Tolbert and Mrs. H. A. Hood of Vernon attended the meeting Monday. L. G. Hawkins, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Backus, C. V. Carroll, C. Bargdoll, H. F. Brooks and children, Misses Texas Coffee, Ruth Carney, Mildred Young, Mamie Allen, Claudie Bargdoll and Rupert Bargdoll of Vernon attended the services Sunday. The Methodist pastor, Rev. Sisk, and three friends were here from Odell.

Miss Lois Colley and Mrs. Edna Wiseman of Dallas are visiting their sister Mrs. Emmett Ketchersid, and aunt, Mrs. Jesse Mason.

Misses Leola Smith, Laura Sweatmon, Lucille and Marie Marr are attending the teachers' institute in Vernon this week.

Mrs. May Adams, who has been sick

for some time at the home of her sister, Mrs. Jesse Mason, is improving.

D. J. Wilhelm is improving rapidly.

after an illness of several weeks.

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Judge McHugh Buys Home.
Judge E. L. McHugh moved yester-

day to a residence in West Vernon, recently purchased from Hub Colley. Judge McHugh sold his home on West Wilbarger to J. F. White of the White City community and Mr. White will move to his new property within the

B. P. Abston of Rayland bought a binder in Vernon this week to help

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J. R. Jones' real estate office is on
North Main street in Fergusen building.
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You are to be the judge—try this famous tonic—if it doesn't bring to you new energy, a splendid appetite, restful sleep, peaceful and quiet nerves—if it doesn't destroy that tired feeling and build you up, then Rich-Tone will be free to you, it will not cost you

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YOU OWE IT TO YOURSELF to try
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your lips!

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Harry Mason, salary for Jan.	
J. W. Carrington, salary for January	
R. H. Brattan, salary for Jan.	
S. H. Hall, salary for Jan.	
E. L. Witty, salary for Jan.	
Harper Reed, salary for Jan.	
M. G. Neatherly, salary for Jan.	
J. P. King, salary for Jan.	
Herring Nat'l Bank, \$5,000 note and int.	
A. C. McConnell, 500 envelopes	
J. B. Andrews, Jan. salary city treas.	
C. M. Ladd, 9 gallons gas	
T. M. Ferguson, globes acct. lights	
Geo. D. Barnard Co., acct. Cem. deed record	
Jas. C. Smith, big	
Napier Bros., acct. Ford car of city	
J. H. Pendleton & Son, acct. city hall supplies	
Reinmers Co., one tax record	
Southwestern Tel. Co., acct. city hall	
C. H. Dalmasso, broom	
Amer. La. France Fire Eng. Co., supplies acct. fire truck	
S. H. Hall, stamps	
Sanitary Fund Class 25, transfer to bal. overdraft	
Harper Reed, Feb. salary	
M. G. Neatherly, Feb. salary	
E. L. Witty, Feb. salary	
J. P. King, Feb. salary	
J. S. Cook, Feb. salary	
Harry Mason, Feb. salary	
S. H. Hall, Feb. salary	
R. H. Brattan, Feb. salary	
J. W. Carrington, Feb. salary	
J. B. Andrews, Feb. salary	
D. T. Bryant, acct. city hall work	
S. E. Owens, 3 1-2 days work	
C. M. Ladd, 5 gallons oil	
Ferrell-Swartzwood Co., acct. supplies for Ford car of city	
Will Todd, work on fire truck	
Palentine Plg. Co., 1919 election blks.	
Southwestern Tel. Co., city hall	
Magnolia Pet. Co., one B. bk. gas	
Sewell Grain & Fuel Co., 1310 pounds coal	
T. M. Ferguson, globes	
Wright's Grocery Co., soap acct. city hall	
F. E. Murchison Ins. Co., insurance	
Vernon Record stationery	
Zebb Deggs, work acct. city hall	
\$15,398.41	
Receipts—3rd Class Permanent Improvement Fund.	
Aug. 1, balance	\$456.98
Aug. 1, 1918, S. H. Hall, No. 3737 del. taxes	5.10
Dec. 2, 1918, S. H. Hall, No. 3799 del. taxes	5.95
Jan. 2, 1919, S. H. Hall, No. 3826 del. taxes	5.40
Feb. 2, 1919, S. H. Hall, No. 3853 del. taxes	71.46
Feb. 28, 1919, S. H. Hall, No. 3886, poll taxes	7.79
March 31, 1919, S. H. Hall, No. 3913 del. taxes	63.48
616.16	
Disbursements—Permanent Fund 3rd Class.	
W. F. Brock, Paradise St. Xng	8.70
Refunding bond fund 10th class acct. overdraft	5.75
Ben Caldwell, work on side walk	3.00
D. A. Lane, work on side walk	3.00
L. J. Fullen, work on side walk high school	6.55
W. H. Allen, work on side walk high school	3.00
A. S. Thomas, grading and paving street	13.00
F. M. Rowland, grading Paradise street	18.50
L. J. Fullen, work Paradise street	1.40
Rufus Pannell, work Paradise street	16.50
Ben Caldwell, work Paradise street	4.60
T. O. Wheeler, work Paradise street	6.90
T. O. Wheeler, street paving	12.47
H. C. Brock, Paradise street paving	8.25
W. T. Brock, street crossing	14.05
L. J. Fullen, work street excavating	10.50
F. M. Rolland, work hauling street crossing	8.25
H. C. Brock, street crossing	131.35
Herring-Bennett, cement account Sidewalks	75.00
F. A. Sable, 1020 pounds steel account St. T.	11.30
Herring-Bennett, cement account sewer extension	
8387.18	
March 31, 1919, balance	228.98
8616.16	
Receipts—Street and Bridge Fund 4th. Class.	
Aug. 1, 1918, S. H. Hall, No. 3738 del. taxes	2.20
Oct. 1, 1918, S. H. Hall, No. 3756 J. P. King Lamar st col.	10.00
Nov. 1, 1918, S. H. Hall, No. 3763 del. taxes	44.62
Nov. 1, 1918, S. H. Hall, street collections	37.50
Dec. 2, 1918, S. H. Hall, No. 3800 del. taxes	3.53
Dec. 2, 1918, S. H. Hall, 1918 taxes	57.54
Dec. 2, 1918, S. H. Hall, J. P. King collections	42.95
Jan. 2, 1919, S. H. Hall, No. 3827 1918 taxes	786.76
Jan. 2, 1919, S. H. Hall, del. taxes	3.46
Feb. 2, 1919, S. H. Hall, No. 3854 taxes	3,750.97
Feb. 2, 1919, S. H. Hall, del. taxes	21.40
Feb. 2, 1919, S. H. Hall, street collections	261.00
Feb. 28, 1919, S. H. Hall, No. 3887 1918 taxes	31.96
Feb. 28, 1919, S. H. Hall, poll taxes	2.31
March 31, 1919, S. H. Hall, No. 3914 1918 taxes	25.88
March 31, 1919, S. H. Hall, del. taxes	18.97
March 31, 1919, S. H. Hall, Street improvement col.	47.50
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85,147.65	
March 31, 1919, balance	92.35
85,623.69	
Disbursements—Street and Bridge Fund 4th Class.	
Aug. 1, 1918 balance	\$ 2,561.67
H. A. Dodson, work acct. street crossings	2.20
A. J. Robinson, July salary, city engineer	62.50
C. A. Randell, July salary	65.00
F. M. Rowland, July salary acct. streets	35.00
L. J. Fullen, work acct. street crossings	4.70
Mrs. C. V. King, acct. Allingham Park July	5.00
Jno. Herring, work acct. street crossings	2.20
Joe Thompson, work acct. streets	1.25
J. H. Langley, work acct. streets	3.00
W. D. Pouncey, work acct. streets	28.50
F. M. Rowland, acct. street B. dept.	8.35
Mrs. C. V. King, Allingham Park	5.00
W. A. Self, work on streets	3.00
Wilbarger county, Jno. Nabers 4 days Engr. W. Wil. st.	20.00
Pittsburgh Plate Glass Co., acct. st. dept. 6-12-18	5.45
F. W. & D. C. Ry. Co., frt. on ear rock	42.53
Jno. Herring, work on culverts	
H. A. Dodson, work on culverts	
L. J. Fullen, work on culverts	
J. H. Langley, hauling gravel	
Frank Simpson, work acct. culverts	
F. M. Rowland, hauling acct. streets—san.	
J. W. Jordan, hauling 12 loads rock at .50	
Ben Caldwell, work st. and B.	
Everett Rowland, work on streets	
J. H. Langley, hauling gravel	
G. W. Wilhoit, hauling dirt acct. streets	
R. F. Britt, 13 yards gravel	
B. A. Lane, 5 days work at \$2.80 per day	
S. F. Dyer, hauling acct. street and bridge	
Herbert Robinson, work on streets	
F. M. Rowland, Aug. salary acct. streets	
Rufus Pannell, work acct. streets	
Mrs. W. M. Schindler secretary, acct. Shive Park July	
Mrs. C. V. King, treas. acct. Allingham Park Aug.	
T. C. Richards, work on streets	
Rufus Pannell, work on streets	
W. E. Burns, work street and bridge	
A. J. Robinson, Aug. salary city engineer	
Fred Metcalf, work on streets	
W. E. Shankle, acct. hauling	
J. H. Langley, work acct. streets dragging and grading	
J. L. Clark, work on street	
Herring-Bennett Lbr. Co., acct. street and bridge dept.	
Swartwood & Co., acct. street and bridge dept.	
General Construction Co., acct. paving Dean st. N. Main st.	
F. M. Rowland, sanitary work acct. streets	
W. H. Allen, work on gutter	
L. J. Fullen, work acct. gutter and storage tank	
H. A. Dodson, work acct. gutter and storage tank	
W. E. Burns, work acct. streets	
Fred Metcalf, 1 1-2 days grading	
J. H. Langley, grading Paradise st.	
W. A. Self, grading East Paradise st.	
Fred Metcalf, work acct. grading	
J. H. Langley, grading 5 1-2 days 2 teams \$9.00 day	
W. A. Self, 5 1-2 days grading at \$6.00 per day	
A. S. Thomas, grading streets	
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J. H. Langley, work acct. streets dragging and grading	
J. L. Clark, work on street	
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Swartwood & Co., acct. street and bridge dept.	
General Construction Co., acct. paving Dean st. N. Main st.	
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Swartwood & Co., acct. street and bridge dept.	
General Construction Co., acct. paving Dean st. N. Main st.	
F. M.	

LOCAL MEN IN DEAL BUYING CALL FIELD

WILL MAKE RESIDENCE SECTION OF WICHITA FALLS FLY- ING POST.

The Hanover Company (of Texas), whose Vernon personnel is J. D. Parrot, J. C. Hickernell, and A. P. Peck, associated with J. A. Kemp and Frank Kell of Wichita Falls, have bought Call Field.

This was the Government aviation field at Wichita Falls, and includes 160 acres of ground and buildings constructed by the Government for training men in the art of flying during the war. It is provided with water, sewers, and electricity supplied from Wichita Falls. Its streets are paved, and it is about one-fourth of a mile from the street car line.

For the present the buildings will be made into apartments and used to relieve congested living conditions in Wichita Falls. About 2,000 people can be cared for. It is the purpose of the purchasers to extend the street car line from Wichita Falls into the grounds and make it one of the most attractive additions to this rapidly growing metropolis of Northwest Texas.

The interests of the Hanover Company (of Texas) will be handled through the Vernon office, and no member of the firm will leave here. A man will be put on the ground to manage the undertaking until it is disposed of.

This is one of the largest deals in which Vernon men have been interested, and will involve several hundred thousand dollars when the addition has been finally disposed of.

Huggins Studio Pupil's Notice.

Huggins piano studio will open Monday, September 15, one week after the opening of public school. This will give pupils an opportunity to become accustomed to study and recitation periods as arranged by their teachers, thus gaining the most from their first week of school. Enrollment and assignment of lesson periods will be September 12 and 13.

Pupils who have studied with us before are urgently requested to re-enroll. If you have moved to Vernon recently and want your child to do good work on piano we solicit your patronage. You can not make a mistake in your selection of Huggins Studio. Call at 426 West Paradise Street, or telephone No. 226, September 12 and 13 for enrollment.

Adv. 66-31

Returns From Trip on Plains.

E. E. Booth has returned from Farwell, where he owns a section of land. Crops there are splendid, as they are all over the plains, Mr. Booth says. He brought back samples of the peaches, apples and pears, and has 160 acres in fruit, which he thinks will yield 9,000 bushels.

Notice of Bids.

The trustees of the Harrold Independent School District will receive bids at this time to act as depository for district funds.

N. F. STRICKLAND, President.
D. H. VAUGHN, JR., Secretary.

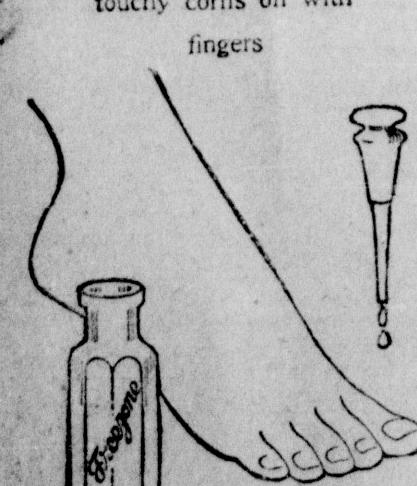
66-31 Adv.

Mrs. J. O. Wright and daughter, Ola May, left Tuesday night for Waxahachie to be at the home of Mrs. Wright's grandmother, who is very sick. The older woman is eighty years of age.

City property, lands and oil leases. List your stuff with me. J. B. Love, office room 7, Lutz building. 62-41

LIFT OFF CORNS!

Apply few drops then lift sore,
touchy corns off with
fingers



Doesn't hurt a bit! Drop a little Freezone on an aching corn, instantly that corns stop hurting, then you lift it right out. Yes, magic!

A tiny bottle of Freezone costs but a few cents at any drug store, but is sufficient to remove every hard corn, soft corn, or corn between the toes, and the calluses, without soreness or irritation.

Freezone is the sensational discovery of a Cincinnati genius. It is wonderful, 65¢ per fl. oz.

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St. Louis San F. Ry. Co., frt. supplies	4.82	Feb. 28, 1919, S. H. Hall, 1918 taxes	12.42	Receipts—Sanitary Fund—25th Class.
L. J. Fullen, 18 hours work st. tank	10.10	March 31, 1919, S. H. Hall, 1918 taxes	10.35	Aug. 1, 1918, S. H. Hall, delinquent taxes
J. H. Hill, Aug. salary	75.00			\$ 48.30
P. G. Tennyson, Aug. salary	65.00			
W. H. Allen, 9 hours work st. tank	2.80			
L. J. Fullen, 20 hours work st. tank	11.20			
H. A. Dotson, work on st. tank	4.55			
Bu. Caldwell, 6 days work	15.00			
A. J. Robinson, Aug. salary	62.50			
C. A. Candell, loading two tanks of water	1.50			
Lowke Bros. paint acet. tower	4.00			
Herring-Bennett Telephone Co., acet. W. L. station	15.20			
C. R. Staley, frt. acet. station	76.25			
J. R. Benbow, acet. W. L. station	4.00			
Shamburger Lbr. Co., acet. storage tank	163.85			
Southwestern Telephone Co., acet. W. L. station	15.50			
C. R. Staley, frt. acet. machinery	30.40			
R. Pannell, 5 days work	15.00			
Ben Caldwell, 6 days work	10.00			
W. E. Burrids, 4 days work	8.40			
D. A. Lane, 3 days work	15.00			
W. E. Deason, gas engine 30 days	65.68			
Pittsburgh Meter Co., meter repairs	2.00			
N. O. Nelson Co., acet. W. Wks. supp.	1.23			
Fort Worth & Denver Ry. Co., frt. acet. W. L. supp.	5.60			
Rufus Pannell, 2 days work	5.80			
H. A. Dodson, 1 days work	15.00			
W. E. Burnis, 6 days work	15.00			
Ben Caldwell, 6 days work	15.00			
Adams Express Co., express acet. W. Wks.	1.50			
Fort Worth & Denver Ry. frt. on supplies	1.50			
C. A. Candell, loading water	1.50			
Ben Caldwell, 6 days work	1.50			
C. A. Candell, loading 2 tanks of water to Electra	1.50			
A. J. Robinson, Sept. salary	1.50			
P. G. Tennyson, September salary	1.50			
J. H. Hill, September salary	1.50			
Ben Caldwell, 6 days work	1.50			
Adams Express Co., express on pump supp.	1.50			
Hampton Plb. Co., acet. W. Wks. supp.	1.50			
Southwestern Telephone Company, acet. W. L. station	1.50			
B. F. Goodrich Rubber Co., Supp. W. L. station	1.50			
Texas Co. oil, W. L. acet.	1.50			
Shamburger Lbr. Co., acet. W. L. station	1.50			
N. O. Nelson Co., acet. W. L. station	1.50			
Neptune Meter Co., acet. meter repairs	1.50			
O. A. Swinburn, 3 days work	1.50			
Fort Worth & Denver, frt. acet. pipe	1.50			
C. A. Candell, extra work	1.50			
D. A. Lane, work	1.50			
D. A. Lane, 2 days work	1.50			
H. E. Rogers, drayage	1.50			
L. J. Fullen, work acet. wells	1.50			
Ben Caldwell, 5 days work	1.50			
A. J. Robinson, October salary	1.50			
C. A. Candell, Oct. salary	1.50			
J. H. Hill, Oct. salary	1.50			
D. A. Lane, work	1.50			
Ben Caldwell, 6 days work	1.50			
Wade Perkins, work on 6lets	1.50			
Fort Worth & Denver Ry., frt. acet. W. Wks.	1.50			
W. S. Thomas, acet. work at station	1.50			
Fairbanks-Morse Co., pump supp.	1.50			
Amer. Cast Iron Pipe Co., pipe	1.50			
W. Falls Foundry & Mfg. Co., sewer ring	1.50			
Swartwood Co., W. L. supplies	1.50			
Southwestern Telephone Co., W. L. station	1.50			
Fort Worth & Denver, frt. on water	1.50			
W. F. Key, B. S. work	1.50			
Briggs-Weaver Mfg. Co., 96 waste	1.50			
Shamburger Lbr. Co., acet. W. Wks.	1.50			
C. R. Staley, 10165 gal. oil	1.50			
F. M. Rowland, 1 days work	1.50			
C. R. Staley, frt. car oil	1.50			
Fort Worth & Denver, frt.	1.50			
P. G. Tennyson, Nov. salary	1.50			
J. H. Hill, Nov. salary	1.50			
A. J. Robinson, Nov. salary	1.50			
G. F. Lebus, pipe acet. wells	1.50			
Buffalo Meter Co., 1 doz. meters	1.50			
Southwestern Telephone Co., W. L. station	1.50			
N. O. Nelson Co., W. L. supp.	1.50			
T. M. Ferguson, globes	1.50			
Adams Express Co., express on pulley	1.50			
St. Louis San F. Ry. Co., of Texas frt. acet. W. Wks.	1.50			
Ben Caldwell, 6 days work	1.50			
C. R. Staley, 10165 gal. solar oil	1.50			
Ben Caldwell, 6 days work	1.50			
C. R. Staley, storage Jan.	1.50			
C. R. Staley, hauling oil	1.50			
A. J. Robinson, Dec. salary	1.50			
P. G. Tennyson, Dec. salary	1.50			
J. H. Hill, Dec. salary	1.50			
C. A. Candell, Dec. salary	1.50			
Ben Caldwell, 3 days work	1.50			
Ben Caldwell, 6 days work	1.50			
Swartwood Co., W. L. supp.	1.50			
N. O. Nelson Co., W. Wks. supp.	1.50			
Texas Co., hard oil	1.50			
Hampton Plb. Co., meter boxes	1.50			
Southwestern Telephone Co., W. Wks. station	1.50			
Fairbanks-Morse Co., light supplies	1.50			
Magnolia Pet. Co., 1 B. Bl. gas	1.50			
Ben Caldwell, 6 days work	1.50			
Frisco Ry. Co., frt. on waste	1.50			
Adams Express Co., express	1.50			
Fort Worth & Denver, frt. on pipe	1.50			
P. G. Tennyson, Jan. salary	1.50			
J. H. Hills, Jan. salary	1.50			
A. J. Robinson, Jan. salary	1.50			
Ben Caldwell, 1 1/2 days work	1.50			
R. L. Collins, on ssal. Feb.	1.50			
Ben Caldwell, 6 days on sewer line	1.50			
E. N. Roundtree, 5 days work on sewer line	1.50			
H. C. Kelly, 3 1/2 days work on sewer line	1.50			
Central Brazos Mfg. Co., W. Wks. supp. Dec.	1.50			
Gould Mfg. Co., pump supplies	1.50			
Ed Roundtree, 3 1/2 days work	1.50			
Ben Caldwell, 6 days work	1.50			
A. E. Owens, 5 days work	1.50			
E. V. Roundtree, 1 1/2 days work	1.50			
J. M. Roberson, 4 days work	1.50			
Oriental Oil Co., 16 pound pigr.	1.50			
N. O. Nelson Co., W. Wks. supp.	1.50			
Crane Co., waste	1.50			
Vernon Cotton Oil Co., coal	1.50			
Hampton Plb. Co., meter boxes	1.50			
Southwestern Telephone Co., P. station	1.50			
Ben Caldwell, 6 days work	1.50			
G. C. Kelly, work	1.50			
C. A. Candell, Feb. salary	1.50			
Roy Collins, batman salary February	1.50			
A. J. Robinson, Feb. salary	1.50			
J. H. Hill, Feb. salary	1.50			
S. E. Owens, 3 days work	1.50			
Amer. Ry. Express Co., express pipe	1.50			
R. L. Collins, acet. March salary	1.50			
Ben Caldwell, 6 days work	1.50			
H. C. Kelly, 6 days work	1.50			